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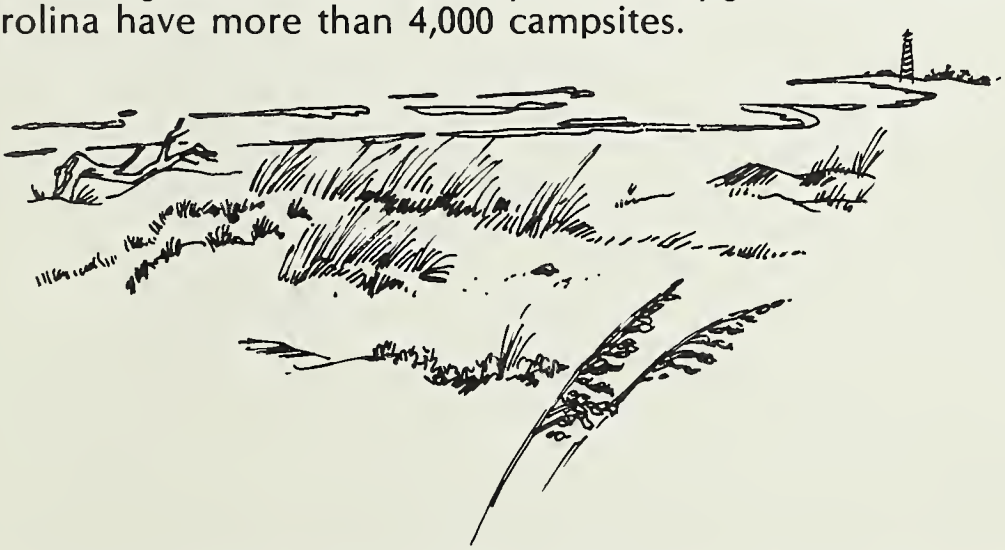
Public Recreation Areas

North Carolina stretches more than 500 miles from the sandy flatlands adjacent to the Atlantic Ocean across the gentle, rolling hills of the piedmont to the highest mountains in eastern America.

Here the outdoorsman may select from a variety of terrain and environmental conditions to pursue his favorite outdoor activity whether it be hiking or camping or a number of other popular pastimes.

Located here is the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, America's most popular National Park and the Blue Ridge Parkway, America's most traveled Parkway. Also here is the nation's first National Seashore, Cape Hatteras National Seashore.

Three of the four National Forests located in North Carolina accommodate campers as do nine of the 25 State Parks. Altogether, more than 60 public campgrounds in North Carolina have more than 4,000 campsites.



Photos Left, Top Row: Oregon Inlet. Hang Gliding from Grandfather Mountain. Hanging Rock State Park. Middle: Cape Lookout National Seashore. Crowders Mountain State Park. Swinging Bridge in Mountains. Bottom: Pearsons Falls at Tryon. Kerr Lake. Stone Mountain State Park.

All of the state and federal public recreation areas offer excellent hiking opportunities.

Streams in all three regions of the state offer a variety of canoeing challenges.

Most of the state's campgrounds are privately owned. There are more than 300 private campgrounds in North Carolina with more than 15,000 individual campsites.

Outdoor recreation areas listed in this brochure are keyed to the coordinates of the official North Carolina Highway Map which can be obtained from the Travel Development Section, Department of Natural and Economic Resources, Raleigh, North Carolina 27611 or by stopping at one of the state's Welcome Centers located at the five interstate highway entrances.

North Carolina State Parks

North Carolina State Parks are located from the top of Mount Mitchell, highest peak in Eastern America to the Atlantic Ocean, near Morehead City and Beaufort.

Access to all parks is free; however, there is a fee charged for overnight camping. The parks are open all year except for Mount Mitchell and Mount Jefferson which are closed during the winter.

Camping is available at developed campgrounds all year round. Each individual campsite has a table, outdoor fireplace, tent site and parking space for a car or trailer except Mount Mitchell which has a central parking area and tent camping only.

Each campground has a central wash house with lavatories, flush toilets, showers, approved drinking water and sewage disposal. There are no electrical, sewage or water connections for trailers.

Reservations for periods of seven days or more may be made and are payable in advance. Maximum stay is 14 days. Campers for shorter periods of time are assigned sites and pay on arrival. For full description of all parks, write the Division of Parks and Recreation, Department of Natural and Economic Resources, Box 27687, Raleigh, North Carolina 27611.

WILDLIFE

All North Carolina State Parks are wildlife sanctuaries. Hunting, trapping or the molesting of birds or animals is prohibited. Firearms, cats and dogs (except dogs on a leash not exceeding six feet in length) are not permitted. No pets are allowed at any time in the swimming areas, cabins or cabin areas.

FISHING

Fishing in the North Carolina State Parks is subject to rules and regulations of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission.

CAMPING

Camping is available at the following state park facilities:

Cliffs of the Neuse (J-3) Consists of 572 acres in Wayne County, 35 tent/trailer campsites. Facilities include: Dumping station, picnicking, refreshment stand, fishing, swimming, rental row boats, hiking, nature study and museum. Route 2, Seven Springs, N. C. 28578. Telephone (919) 734-2617 (Goldsboro).

Duke Power (E-3) 1,328 acres in Iredell County. Facilities are: picnicking, refreshment stand, fishing, swimming, hiking. 33 tent/trailer campsites. Dumping station. Route 2, Troutman, N. C. 28166. Telephone (704) 528-6350.

Hanging Rock State Park (F-1) Includes 4,040 acres in Stokes County. Picnicking, refreshment stand, vacation cabins, lake swimming, 74 tent/trailer campsites, rental row boats, fishing, hiking, and nature study. P. O. Box 128, Danbury, N. C. Telephone (919) 593-8480.

Jones Lake (H-3) 1,893 acres in Bladen County. Picnicking, refreshment stand, swimming, boating, fishing, hiking and nature study. 18 tent/trailer campsites. Route 2, Box 215, Elizabethtown, N. C. 28337. Telephone (919) 588-4550-Clinton exchange.

Carolina Beach (J-5) 337 acres New Hanover County, near Carolina Beach, 78 tent/trailer campsites, picnicking, fishing, hiking, nature study. P. O. Box 475, Carolina Beach, N. C. Telephone (919) 458-8206.

Morrow Mountain (G-3) 4,425 acres in Stanly County. Picnicking, refreshment stand, swimming, vacation cabins, 106 tent/trailer campsites, boating, fishing, hiking, nature study, museum. Route 2, Albemarle, N. C. Telephone (704) 982-4402.

Mount Mitchell (D-2) 1,469 acres in Yancey County. Highest peak in Eastern America with observation tower on top. Picnicking, refreshment stand, restaurant, (seasonal) museum, hiking, nature study, recreation lodge, 7 tent campsites (none for trailers). Route 5, Box 400, Burnsville, N. C. Telephone (704) 675-4611 Micaville exchange.

Pettigrew (L-2) 17,369 acres (including 16,000 acre Lake Phelps) in Washington and Tyrrell counties. Boating, fishing, hiking, nature studies, historic structures, rental boats, launching facilities. 13 tent/trailer campsites. Route 1, Creswell, N. C. 27928. Telephone (919) 797-4475 Columbia exchange.

Singletary Lake (H-4) 1,221 acres in Bladen County. Organized group camp facilities, fishing, boating, hiking, address: Route 1, Kelly, N. C. 28448. Telephone (919) 669-2928 Kelly exchange.

William B. Umstead (H-2) 5,214 acres in Wake County. Picnicking, hiking, nature study, rental row boats, fishing, 28 tent/trailer campsites. Four group camping facilities, 64, 64, 94 and 119 persons respectively. Route 8, Box 130, Raleigh, N. C. 27607. Telephone (919) 787-3033.

OTHER FACILITIES

Other state parks are available which do not offer camping but do offer many other activities.

Fort Macon (L-4) 385 acres in Carteret County. Historic fort museum, refreshment stand, bathing beach, surf fishing, hiking, picnicking and nature study. P. O. Box 127, Atlanta Beach, N. C. 28572. Phone (919) 726-3775.

Hammocks Beach (K-4) Consists of 892 acres, located on island five miles southeast of Swansboro, free ferry (daily — June, July, August — weekends in fall and spring), recreation picnicking, historic sites, swimming, hiking, fishing, refreshment stand. P. O. Box 38, Swansboro, N. C. 28584. Phone (919) 326-4881.

Mount Jefferson (E-1) 539 acres in Ashe County, relatively undeveloped. Picnicking, hiking and nature study. P. O. Box 174, Jefferson, N. C. 28640. Phone (919) 246-9653. Closed during winter months.

Pilot Mountain (G-1) 3,542 acres in Surry and Yadkin counties, including 1,397 acre Yadkin River Section with unique 5-1/4 mile corridor 300 feet wide hiking trail to connect the two sections, 1,500 feet high quartzite monadnock. Picnicking, hiking, and nature study. Relatively undeveloped.

Shipwreck on Outer Banks

Route 1, Box 13, Pinnacle, N. C. 27403. Phone (919) 325-2355 Shoals exchange. (Tent and trailer camping available by summer 1977).

Stone Mountain (E-1) 2,109 acres in Wiles and Alleghany counties, featuring 600 foot high granite pluton, three miles in circumference at base. Fishing, hiking, nature study and tent camping available. Undeveloped. Roaring Gap, N. C. 28668. Phone (919) 957-8185.

Weymouth Woods Sandhills Nature Preserve. 413 acres undeveloped with fine stand long leaf pines. Nature study and hiking trails. P. O. Box 1368, Southern Pines, N. C. 28387. Phone (919) 692-2167.

Boone's Cave Located in Davidson County — 110 acres — main (land virtually only) attraction is a scenic overlook — no development except access road and minimal parking — some hiking available. Situated off N. C. 150, 15 miles north of Salisbury, North Carolina.

Crowder's Mountain State Park (E-3) — principal peaks in Kings Mountain range — located off I-85, U.S. 321 and N.C. 274 in Gaston and Cleveland counties. Consisting of 1,100 acres the area has interim development consisting of picnicking, hiking, nature study, fishing and wilderness camping. Phone (704) 867-1181.

Dismal Swamp Land (K-1) This area consists of 14,400 acres and is crossed by old canals of extreme historical significance. One of the last remaining stands of Atlantic White Cedar exists here. The land is currently being managed by the Wildlife Resources Commission but transition of management responsibilities to the Division of Parks and Recreation is underway. The State Park Master Plan for the Dismal Swamp is complete.

The swamp is located east of Highway 17 north of Elizabeth City, North Carolina in Camden County.

Eno River State Park (H-2) Undeveloped, the 1,200 acres are now being staffed by two Rangers who will be responsible for the installation of interim facilities. The area consists of upland forests with the picturesque and unspoiled Eno River meandering through. Main highways in the area are I-85, U.S. 15-501, N.C. 55 and N.C. 70. Further land acquisition is underway.

Goose Creek State Park (K-2) Located in Beaufort County on the Pamlico River, the area consists of 1,300 acres of diverse topography, flora and fauna. The river section has natural sand beaches and combined

Shining Rock Wilderness Area

with the creek section offer excellent opportunities for fishing, bird-watching and water oriented outdoor recreation activities. Spanish moss hangs in profusion throughout.

Interim development now on the site includes picnicking, boat launching, access and parking, hiking, rough camping, trails and fishing.

Goose Creek may be reached from U.S. 17, U.S. 264 and N.C. 92, southeast of Washington, N. C.

Jockey's Ridge State Park (M-2) — Recently acquired and undeveloped this 300 acres parcel encompasses the largest natural dune on the eastern coast. Ranks among the highest dunes in the world. The Division of Parks and Recreation has assigned interim field management of the area to Superintendent Leo Dillard whose address is Pettigrew State Park, Route 1, Box 203, Creswell, N. C. 27928. Telephone (919) 797-4475.

At Nags Head, N. C., Jockey's Ridge in Dare County is located beside U.S. 158, easily reached via U.S. 64, 264, and N.C. 12.

Medoc Mountain State Park (J-1) 2,300 acres rolling topography — located in Halifax County. Main highways in area are I-95, U.S. 301, U.S. 158 and U.S. 258. Rough camping, picnicking, hiking, fishing access and parking are developing here now. Phone (919) 445-2280.

Merchants Millpond State Park (K-1) — One of North Carolina's rarest ecological communities. Undeveloped — 1,800 acres — activities there now fishing, hiking, canoeing — cypress swamp and large pond dominate. Reached by U.S. 158, U.S. 13, N. C. 32 and N.C. 27 in Gates County.

Raven Rock State Park (H-3) — 2,700 acres — 6 miles N. W. of Lillington, N. C. in Harnett County. Rolling terrain, extensive forests, unique plantlife, huge exposed rocks. Scenic and historical area. Developing now — facilities — rough camping, canoe camping, from Cape Fear River, picnicking, fishing, hiking, nature study, extensive trail system — major highways are U.S. 421, 701 and 401. Phone (919) 893-4888

Theordore Roosevelt Natural Area (K-4) — 250 acres in Carteret County — No recreation facilities — Nature study trail construction underway, Marine Science Research Center located within area — Unique unspoiled natural setting — rare coastal zone flora — four miles south of Morehead City on Highway 24.

KERR RESERVOIR (BUGGS ISLAND LAKE)

Kerr Reservoir (H, J-1). The John H. Kerr Dam and Reservoir is a multi-purpose project of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. The project came into being as a result of the efforts of the late U.S. Representative from North Carolina, John H. Kerr for whom it was named. The 48,900 acre lake which has a shoreline of 800 miles lies in a total project area of 106,860 acres. The lake and much of the wooded area is open to the public for recreational purposes. Picnicking, camping, boating, swimming, fishing, skiing, hiking, hunting, and sight seeing are popular available sports.

Seven major areas have been developed in North Carolina by the Kerr Reservoir Development Commission, an official state agency. All development has been made in accordance with a master development plan prepared by the Commission and approved by the U.S. Corps of Engineers. Development and operation has been for the benefit of the public. All visitors are welcome.

KERR RECREATION AREAS

Satterwhite Point Part (H-1) 7 miles N. of Henderson on south shore of Kerr Lake. 115 tent and trailer sites. One group camping area with space for 30 families.

Nutbush Bridge Park (H-1) 4 miles N. of Henderson on the south shore of Kerr Lake, 81 tent or trailer sites.

Bullocksville Park (J-1) 8 miles N. of Henderson on the east short of Kerr Lake. 68 tent or trailer sites.

County Line Park (J-1) 18 miles NE of Henderson. 75 tent or trailer sites.

Kimball Point Park (J-1) 19 miles NE of Henderson on east shore of Kerr Lake. 100 tent or trailer sites.

Hibernia Park (H-1) 17 miles N. of Henderson on west shore of Kerr Lake, 70 tent or trailer sites. Two group camping areas with space for 30 families each.

Henderson Point Park (H-1) 20 miles N. of Henderson on west shore of Kerr Lake. 74 tent or trailer sites.

Picnicking, fishing, horseback riding, boat rides, group camping, picnic shelters and tables, water, hot showers, garbage collection, fireplace, swimming, boating and

Information Signs

Washhouse

Park Office

Swimming

Hiking

Boat Ramp

Group Cabins

Parking

Maintenance Area

Boat Crossing

Family Tent Camping

Family Wilderness Camping

Tent & Trailer Camping

the use of community buildings. Camping rates are $1.50 per tent per day. Reservations for four days or more will be accepted anytime during the year. For additional information write: Kerr Reservoir Development Commission, Rt. 3, Box KRDC, Henderson, N. C. 27536. Telephone (919) 438-7791.

NATIONAL FORESTS IN NORTH CAROLINA

Developed camping facilities at three of the four National Forests in North Carolina offer the camper an unrivaled opportunity for adventure and outdoor thrills in the beautifully rugged Tar Heel mountains and flatlands.

Pisgah, Nantahala, Croatan and Uwharrie National Forests are administered by the U.S. Forest Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Recreational maps are available from the Forest Supervisor, National Forests in North Carolina. Post office box 2750, Asheville, North Carolina 28802. Phone (704) 258-2850.

National Forests in North Carolina have a total area of 1,129,000 acres containing more than 40 developed recreational areas which are accessible by main highways and Forest Service roads. The forests offer lake and stream fishing as well as hunting for large and small game. Public campgrounds have sites (with toilet facilities, fireplaces and drinking water) for tents and trailers under 22 feet. Campgrounds are available only on a first-come, first-served basis and the maximum stay at any one area is 14 days. An asterisk beside the individual campground listings below indicates that a camping fee is charged. The normal season is Memorial Day through Labor Day. Anyone interested is using a particular area on other dates should contact the District Ranger.

Following is a list of the Forest Service areas with activities available at each. Where fishing is indicated, North Carolina State Inland Fishing regulations govern.

U.S. FOREST SERVICE RECREATION AREAS

Pisgah and Nantahala National Forests

Recreation areas in the Pisgah and Nantahala National Forests have sanitary facilities, safe drinking water unless indicated, and single family units composed of open fire grate, table & garbage can. Where camping is indicated, gravel tent "platforms" are included. Trailers under 22' can be accommodated on all of these. Camping is limited to a 14 day period. An asterisk (*) indicates designated areas where fees are charged for camping. Daily permits are available on the individual areas. Many of the sites are closed during the winter season. Anyone interested in using a particular area before Memorial Day or after Labor Day should contact the District Ranger.

The U.S. Forest Service does not operate cabins or resort hotels on lands of the National Forests in N. C. However, there are numerous facilities of this sort in the areas surrounding the forests. Chambers of Commerce in these communities will be glad to furnish information concerning such facilities upon request.

Following is a list of the areas with activities available at each. Where fishing is indicated N. C. State Inland Fishing Regulations govern.

Forest Supervisor's Office: 50 South French Broad Ave., P. O. Box 2750, Asheville, N. C. 28802.

PISGAH NATIONAL FOREST (D-1 to C-3)

Pisgah District, SW of Asheville, District Ranger's Office: P. O. Box 8, Pisgah Forest, N. C. 28768 (on US 276) Phone: (704) 877-3265.

* **Powhatan** — 12 miles S of Asheville off NC 191. Picnicking (32 units), camping (97 units), lake swimming, fishing.
* **North Mills** — 22 miles S of Asheville off NC 191. On North Mills River. Picnic shelter in area. Picnicking (40 units), camping (38 units), fishing.

Stoney Fork — 18 miles SW of Asheville, on Pisgah Road, NC 151, south from Candler, N. C. Picnicking (12 units), fishing.

Sunbust — 18 miles S of Canton, N. C., 8 miles up West Fork of Pigeon River on NC 215 from US 276 at Bethel. Picnicking (22 units), camping (8 units), fishing.

Note — The following areas may be reached from Asheville either by traveling

* *Camping fee charged*

west on Blue Ridge Parkway, turning left at Wagon Road Gap onto US 276 toward Brevard, N. C., **or** south from Asheville on NC 191 & 280, turning right onto US 276. Both routes are about 33 miles from Asheville to US 276. It's about 16 miles between Wagon Road Gap and NC 280.

Sycamore Flats — ½ mile up US 276 from NC 280. On Davidson River. Picnicking (26 units), fishing.

* **Davidson River** — 2 miles up US 276 from NC 280. On Davidson River. Camping (113 units), fishing.

Coontree — 5½ miles up US 276 from NC 280. On Davidson River. Trailers limited to 16'. Picnicking (13 units), fishing, nature trail.

Sliding Rock — 8½ miles up US 276 from NC 280. Water sliding on natural rock slide in Looking Glass Creek. Pool at foot of slide is about 8' deep.

Pink Beds — 11 miles up US 276 from NC 280. Picnic shelter in area. Picnicking (26 units), nature trail, Cradle of Forestry within a mile.

French Broad District, W of Asheville, District Ranger's Office: P. O. Box 128, Hot Springs, N. C. 28743, Phone: (704) 622-3410.

Rocky Bluff — 30 miles S of Hot Springs, N. C. on NC 209. On Spring Creek. Picnicking (10 units), Camping (45 units), fishing, nature trail.

Grandfather District, NE of Asheville, District Ranger's Office: P. O. Box 519, Marion, N. C. 28752, Phone: (704) 652-4841.

Old Fort — 2 miles W of Old Fort, N. C., on US 70, take Old Fort exit off I-40. Picnic shelter in area. Picnicking (21 units), fishing.

Table Rock — 10 miles S of Jonas Ridge, N. C., via NC 181 and Forest Service road 210. Drinking water not available. Picnicking (6 units), nature trail.

Wiseman's View — 5 miles S of Linville Falls, N. C., 4 miles on NC 105 from NC 183. Overlooks Linville Gorge. Drinking water not available. Picnicking (4 units), nature trail.

Barkhouse — 4 miles SW of Jonas Ridge, N. C., on NC 181. Picnicking (18 units), nature trail.

Mortimer — 2 miles NW of Edgemont, N. C., on NC 90. Picnicking (12 units), camping (9 units), fishing, nature trails.

Mulberry — 14 miles NW of Lenoir, N. C., off NC 90. Drinking water is not available. Picnicking (4 units), fishing, nature trail.

Flame Azalea at Roan Mountain

Boone Fork — 10 miles NW of Lenoir, N. C., off NC 90. Camping (35 units), nature trails.

Toecane District, N. of Asheville, District Ranger's Office: U. S. 19-E Bypass, Burnsville, N. C. 28714, Phone: (704) 682-6146

* **Black Mountain** — 58 miles NE of Asheville on Forest Road 472 off NC 80 N from Blue Ridge Parkway at Busick/Buck Creek turnoff. Or 20 miles E of Burnsville, N. C., via US 19, NC 80 and Forest Road 472. Near foot of Mt. Mitchell. On South Toe River. Camping (45 units), fishing, nature trail. Amphitheater offers evening programs.
* **Carolina Hemlock** — 60 miles NE of Asheville; on NC 80 N from Blue Ridge Parkway at Busick/Buck Creek turn-off. On South Toe River. Picnicking (50 units), camping (17 units), swimming, fishing, nature trail.

Roan Mountain — 13 miles N of Bakersville, N. C., off NC 261 from Carver's Gap. Famed for outstanding natural display of purple rhododendron. Blooms last two weeks of June. Elevation over 6,000'. Picnicking (35 units), nature trails. (See Roan Mountain under Special Areas).

NANTAHALA NATIONAL FOREST (B-3)

Cheoah District, Extreme W end of State, District Ranger's Office: Route #1, Box 16-A, Robbinsville, N. C. 28771, Phone: (704) 479-6431.

* **Cheoah Point** — 8 miles NW of Robbinsville, N. C. off US 129. On Santeetlah Lake. Camping (26 units), fishing, boating, water skiing.

Snowbird — 5 miles W of Robbinsville, N. C., on secondary State road 1127. On Snowbird Creek. Picnicking (4 units), fishing.

* **Horse Cove** — 15 miles NW of Robbinsville, N. C., on secondary State road 1127. On Santeetlah Creek, near entrance to Joyce Kilmer Memorial Forest. Camping (17 units), fishing, nature trail.

Joyce Kilmer — 16 miles NW of Robbinsville, N. C., off secondary State road 1127 at Horse Cove Campground. Picnicking (6 units), nature trails in virgin forest. (See Joyce Kilmer/Slickrock under Special Areas).

* **Cable Cove** — 4 miles E of Fontana Village, N. C., off NC 28 on Fontana Lake. Camping (26 units), fishing, boating, water skiing, horsebacking nearby, nature trails.
* **Tsali** — 17 miles SW of Bryson City, N. C., via US 19 & NC 28. On Fontana Lake. Camping (41 units), fishing, boating, water skiing.

Highland District, Sylva area, S to State line, District Ranger's Office: P. O. Box 749, Highlands, N. C. 28741, Phone: (704) 526-2562.

* **Cliffside Lake** — 6 miles NW of Highlands, N. C., on US 64. At Cliffside Lake, near Dry Falls and Cullasaja Gorge. Picnicking (14 units), camping (11 units), swimming, fishing.
* **Van Hook Glade** — 4½ miles NW of Highlands, N. C., on US 64. At Cliffside Lake, near Dry Falls & Cullasaja Gorge. Camping (19 units), nature trail. Swimming and fishing nearby.

Blue Valley — 8 miles SW of Highlands, N. C. off NC 28 on secondary State road 1618. Camping (4 units), fishing.

Tusquitee District, extreme SW end of State, District Ranger's Office: 201 Woodland Drive, Murphy, N. C. 28906, Phone: (704) 837-5152.

Cherokee Lake — 11 miles W of Murphy, N. C. via US 64 & NC 294. Picnicking (21 units), and fishing.

Tuni Gap — 13½ miles NE of Hayesville, N. C., via secondary State road 1307 and Forest road 440. Picnicking (6 units), fishing.

* **Hanging Dog** — 5 miles NW of Murphy, N. C., via secondary State road 1326. On Hiwassee Lake. Camping (68 units), boating, water skiing, fishing.
* **Jack Rabbit Mountain** — 10 miles SE of Hayesville, N. C. via US 64 & NC 175. On Lake Chatuge. Paved boat ramp. Camping (100 units), boating, swimming, water skiing, fishing. Amphitheater offers evening programs.

Wayne District, Cowee Bald to Georgia State line. District Ranger's Office: P. O. Box 469, Franklin, N. C. 28734. Phone: (704) 524-6441.

* *Camping fee charged*

Arrowood Glade — 8 miles W of Franklin, N. C., via US 64 & secondary road 1310. Adjacent to LBJ CCC Center. Picnicking (20 units), fishing.

* **Apple Tree** — For group camping; contact Ranger in Franklin for reservation. 11 miles NE of Andrews, N. C. via US 19 & secondary State road 1505. Fishing, nature trails.

* **Standing Indian** — 16 miles SW of Franklin, N. C., via US 64 & Forest Road 67. On Nantahala River. 1 mi. to Appalachian Trail. Picnicking (12 units), camping (56 units), fishing, nature trails. Amphitheater offers evening programs.

Wayah Pool — 8 miles W of Franklin, N. C., via US 64 & secondary State road 1310. Small pond, fishing, swimming.

Wayah Crest — 14 miles W of Franklin, N. C., via US 64 & secondary State road 1310. On Appalachian Trail. Picnicking (4 units), nature trails. (See Wayah Bald under Special Areas).

SPECIAL AREAS

Pisgah and Nantahala National Forests

PISGAH NATIONAL FOREST:

Cradle of Forestry in America, Pisgah District — The first school in America for professional foresters was located in the area known locally as the "Pink Beds", on lands belonging to George Vanderbilt and later sold to the United States. It was begun in 1898 by Dr. Carl A. Schenck, and was called Biltmore Forest School. Interesting attractions are a Visitor Center with exhibits of early forestry, and a movie, also a reconstruction of the early campus with seven of its original buildings. Can be reached via US 276. 5 miles SW off Blue Ridge Parkway at Wagon Road Gap or 10 mi. NW off NC 280. National Forest Picnic and Camping areas are nearby.

Roan Mountain, Toecane District — Elevation 6,286' panoramic views, famed for spectacular display of native purple rhododendron. Blooms last two weeks of June. Check local papers for events and dates of Rhododendron Festival held on this mountain each year. 13 mi. N of Bakersville, N. C., take Forest road off NC 261 at Carver's Gap.

Linville Gorge Wilderness Area, Grandfather District — This 7,600 acre tract is set aside to provide a primitive, natural environment. It is a treasure of native flora and fauna. Plant life includes a large number of rare species. The steep walls of the Gorge enclose Linville River which descends over 2,000' in only 12 miles. Hunting and fishing are permitted under State regulations. Primitive camping is permitted; however, extraordinary precautions with fire are necessary. Access is by foot trails off NC 105. (See Wiseman's View under Recreation Areas). A permit is needed to enter the area. Permits are free and available at the District Ranger's Office.

IMPORTANT

Linville Gorge Wilderness Area is a challenge to the most experienced hiker; therefore, as a safety measure, all hikers should advise National Forest District Ranger at Marion, N. C., about any plans for hiking in the Gorge.

Shining Rock Wilderness Area, Pisgah District — Like Linville Gorge, this area is set aside to provide a primitive, natural environment. There are 13,600 acres in the tract. Its outstanding topographic feature is Shining Rock Mtn., an out-cropping of white quartz, from which the area gets its name. Elevations range from 3,500' to over 6,000'. Vegetation cover is unique. Primitive camping is permitted, but extreme caution with fire is necessary. Area is accessible by trails from US 276 N off Blue Ridge Parkway at Wagon Road Gap. A permit is required to enter the area. It is available free from the District Ranger's Office.

NANTAHALA NATIONAL FOREST

Joyce Kilmer/Slickrock Wilderness, Cheoah District — This 14,500 acre wilderness established in 1975 combines the 3,840 acre Joyce Kilmer Memorial Forest with the watershed of Slickrock Creek in the Unicoi Mountains about two miles southwest of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park along the North Carolina-Tennessee State Line. Together they form a fitting memorial to the author of "Trees" and an opportunity for the adventurous visitor to view an unmarred landscape with clear streams, waterfalls, virgin forests and showy flowering shrubs. A permit will soon be required to enter the area. It will be available free from the District Ranger's Office.

Wayah Bald, Wayah District — Outstanding display of native azalea, including the un-

usual white, fragrant one. Blooms about 2nd & 3rd weeks of June, 18½ miles W of Franklin, N. C., via US 64, secondary State road 1310 to Wayah Crest, and right on Forest Service road 69. Side attraction along the way is Wilson Lick Ranger Station. first Ranger Headquarters (1918) on the Nantahala National Forest. Picnic area at Wayah Crest.

CROATAN NATIONAL FOREST (K-3, K-4)

Croatan District, Croatan Admin Site 4 miles southeast of New Bern, NC on US 70 East (435 Thurman Road).

Neuse River — 11 miles southeast of New Bern off US 70. Picnicking (44 units), camping (22 units), swimming, boating, fishing and water skiing.

Pine Cliff — 5 miles southeast of Havelock off State Highway 101. Picnicking (13 units), boating, swimming, fishing and water skiing.

Cedar Point — 3.3 miles southeast of Swansboro off State Highway 24. Camping (43 units), picnicking, boating, and fishing.

Haywood Landing — 8 miles southeast of Maysville off State Highway 58. Picnicking (4 units), boating and fishing.

UWHARRIE NATIONAL FOREST (G-2)

Uwharrie District, 1½ mile east of Troy on State Highway 27, Troy, N. C.

Uwharrie Hunt Camp — 9 miles northwest of Troy off State Highway 109. Camping, picnicking, horse riding, and trail walking.

GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK (B-2)

Astride the North Carolina-Tennessee border is America's most popular National Park which encompasses 514,093 acres, of which about one-half is located in North Carolina. Within the Great Smoky Mountains National Park is Clingman's Dome (elevation 6,642 ft). Newfound Gap Road leads through the Park. The main North Carolina entrance is near Cherokee, on the Cherokee Indian Reservation adjoining the Park.

Guided nature tours are available from spring through October. The park contains 1,300 flowering plants, 52 species of furbearing animals and 130 species of trees.

All campgrounds are operated on a first-come, first-served basis and no camping reservations are accepted for individual campsites. However, reservations may be made for bona fide groups such as scouts, churches, schools, etc. Each campsite has a table and fireplace. Running water, restrooms and garbage collection are available in established campgrounds. There are no sewer or electrical connections for trailers.

Following is a listing of the campgrounds and facilities available in the North Carolina area of the park:

Smokemont — Adjacent to Newfound Gap Road, six miles north of Cherokee. Open year round, there is a seven-day camping limt from May 15-October 31 and 14 day limit during the remainder of the year. There are 142 individual and 8 group sites. Wood and camping supplies may be purchased in Cherokee.

Deep Creek — 2 miles north of Bryson City. There is a 7-day camping limit from May 15 through October 31 and 14-day limit during rest of season. There are 122 individual and six group sites. Wood and supplies are available in Bryson City and at the Park line.

Balsam Mountain — 4 miles west of Blue Ridge Parkway near Heintooga Overlook. 7-day camping limit from May 15 through October 31 and 14-day limit during remainder of season. 38 sites.

No permit is required for camping at designated locations but one is required for camping elsewhere in the Park, except at primitive or undeveloped areas. In North Carolina, these include Cataloochee and Big Creek where use is limited to 7 days. Information about developed campsites and permits may be obtained from the Superintendent's Office, Great Smoky Mountains National Park, Gatlinburg, Tennessee, 37738.

FISHING

Streams are open from mid-April through mid-October. A state license is required but no special Park permit is needed. Two Park streams are set aside as year round "Fishing For Fun" streams where trout or bass under 12 inches are to be returned immediately. Fishing is permitted only with artificial flies or lures with one hook.

HIKING

There are more than 700 miles of horse and foot trails in the Park. Seventy-one miles of the Appalachian Trail wind through the Park and there are 17 trailside shelters. Self guided trails are located near Clingmans Dome, highest point in the Park

(elevation 6,642 feet) which also offers an observation tower; Balsam Mountain and Smokemont.

Camping is permitted along the Appalachian trail only at trailside shelters and campsites. A permit is required and this may be obtained from any park ranger or warden or upon application to the park superintendent. Due to the popularity of the Appalachian Trail it is usually quite crowded; therefore, hikers are encouraged to consider using some of the numerous other trails within the Park. A selection of them are listed below:

HIKING

Andrews Bald (5860 ft.). One of the most popular hikes in GSMNP. East family trip through hemlock forest to delightful grassy bald with good views. Especially nice when rhododendron and azalea bloom late June. From US 441 at Newfound Gap take Clingman's Dome spur road 7.6 mi. to end. Marked hiking trail begins W. of parking area. After 1000 ft. trail forks—L to Andrews Bald, R to Silers Bald. On return, watch for sign marking right turn back to parking lot. *Easy Roundtrip 4 miles.*

Balsam Corner (6040 ft.) and Cataloochee Mtn. (6122 ft.) from Round Bottom. Trail goes through cool spruce and balsam forest in GSMNP. Excellent spring and campsite with shelter near Balsam Corner. Hike starts at Round Bottom parking area beside Straight Fork, beautiful unpolluted stream. Take Big Cove Road for 9 mi. N from US 441, near end of BR Pkwy. Where pavement ends, turn right onto Straight Fork Road; go 5 mi. to Round Bottom parking area. Walk up road; cross concrete bridge. About 150 yards beyond bridge, go left onto faint Ledge Bald Trail. Make steady gradual climb to Balsam Divide. Continue north on ridge across summit of Balsam High Top till trail forks. Fork is Balsam Corner. Right to Cataloochee Mtn. and Mt. Sterling; left to Tricorner Knob and Mt. Guyot on AT. *Strenuous Roundtrip 12 mi. camping.*

Cataloochee Valley (2643 ft.) from Paul's Gap. Leave BR Pkwy mi. 458.2 on Heintooga spur road. Park in GSMNP at Paul's Gap (or Poll's Gap) 6.1 mi. N. Take Trail NE on old railroad grade about 2 mi. Turn R onto fine

Window Falls at Hanging Rock State Park

trail for Cataloochee Valley. At fork, take sharp R onto Caldwell Fork Trail and descend to ranger station in magnificent valley with many reminders of early settlers. *Strenuous* Roundtrip 14 mi. Can be combined with Pretty Hollow Gap described below.

Clingmans Dome (6642 ft.) (AT). Clingmans Dome is highest mtn. in GSMNP, third highest in eastern America, and highest point at AT. Observation tower provides splendid panoramic view above balsam firs. Drive SW 1.3 mi. to Indian Gap on Clingmans Dome spur road from US 441 at Newfound Gap. Park and go SW on AT, which passes through gap just west of spur road. Take side trail for last 50 yds. to tower. *Strenuous* Roundtrip 12 mi.

Crabtree Bald (5320 ft.) From this summit can be seen all 49 mountains in western N.C. over 6000 ft. high. Take NC 209 for 6 mi. N from US 19 at Junaluska. Turn R onto SR 1503 near Crabtree-Ironduff School. Go 2 mi.; turn L onto Bald Creek Road, SR 1505. Go 3 mi.; park where Indian Branch crosses under road. Cross pasture gate on left, walk up paths and jeep trail to ridge line. Go SW on crest to Crabtree Bald, identified by antenna on top. NC 209 also accessible from Fines Creek exit on I-40 if coming from west. *Moderate* Roundtrip 7 mi.

Charlie's Bunion (5375 ft.) from Newfound Gap (AT). Remarkably fine family hike in GSMNP. Good all year — even in snow. Walk east on AT from US 441 at Newfound Gap. At 3 mi pass Ice Water Spring Shelter. Descend, circling Masa Knob (named for pioneer photographer of Smokies and Blue Ridge, a charter member of Carolina Mountain Club). At 4 mi. reach bare rocks of Charlie's Bunion, where in 1925 great landslides revealed rocky backbone underlying Smokies. Good views here of Mt. Le Conte. *Moderate* Roundtrip 8 mi.

Pretty Hollow Gap (5200 ft.) from Cataloochee Valley, in GSMNP. Graded trail easy after climb first 2.5 mi. Much of route is high on gorge above beautiful stream. Take US 276 for 5.8 mi. N from US 19 at Dellwood; turn L onto SR 1395 (old NC 284) just before I-40 entrance. Go 7.9 mi.; turn L onto paved road. After 2.9 mi.; turn L at bridge in Cataloochee Valley; drive 2 mi. to bridge at old schoolhouse. Park near gate to dirt road; cross gate and head west. Follow trail signs up creeks to Pretty Hollow Gap. Worthwhile to go 2 mi. more to Mt. Sterling with magnificent views from tower, *Strenuous* Trip can be combined with Cataloochee Valley described above. Roundtrip 12 mi.

Haoe Overlook (5249 ft.), Joyce Kilmer Memorial Forest. Part of the Nantahala National Forest, Joyce Kilmer Memorial Forest is an impressive remnant of virgin wilderness with immense trees and great variety of plants and shrubs undisturbed by man. From railroad track across US 129 in center of Robinsville, go NW 8.3 mi. along Lake Santeetlah. Turn L onto side road. After 0.5 mi. turn R into entrance to Kilmer Forest. Go 6.1 mi.; park in picnic area at deadend. Take graded trail on north side of area. Walk N to Jenkins Meadow and Haoe Overlook, with great panoramic view. For a circle of 9 mi. continue to Naked Ground and Stratton Bald; return to Naked Ground; go SE down Little Santeetlah Creek through heart of forest to parking area. *Strenuous* Roundtrip 8 mi. camping.

Cheoah Bald (5062 ft.) from Stecoah Gap (AT). Panorama from top is so superb that Cheoah Bald has been called "The Grandstand of the Smokies." Leave NC 28 in gap just W of Stecoah; go on Sweetwater Road (SR 1211) for 2 mi. SW to Stecoah Gap, where AT crosses. Park, follow white blazes; climb SE very steeply on AT to crest of narrow ridge, where trail levels for about a mile. At 2.4 mi., descend into Locust Gap; water 200 yds R. Continue to summit of Cheoah Bald at 4.3 mi. *Strenuous* Roundtrip 8.6 mi. Camping.

Sandymush Bald (5152 ft.). Spectacular mountain pastures with extraordinary views of farm country in valleys far below. Park at Doggett Gap on NC 63 on divide 25 mi. NW of Asheville post office. Walk SW up farm road. At 3rd gate, enter sweeping pasture with shack to R and spring in ravine (L). Skirt L around small mtn. ahead and sight Sandymush Bald, highest mtn. to SW, reached by generally following fence SW for 100 mins., sticking to SW path at corners. *Moderate* Roundtrip 10 mi.

Black Mountain (4286 ft.) from cradle of Forestry. From BR Parkway mi. 411.9 drive 4.0 mi. S. on US 276 to Cradle of Forestry. Near E end of parking area, walk up grated road about 200 ft; just past gate, turn L (S) up Black Mtn. Trail, following orange markers 40 min. in steady climb to Club Gap; go L at gap, following white triangle markers up ridge that climbs Rich Mt. To Buckhorn Gap and crosses narrows with fine views between Clawhammer Mtn. and

Black Mtn. Descend past Hickory Knob and Little Hickory Knob to Forest Service depot on US 276. Views best in winter without foliage. Visit to Cradle of Forestry is recommended. Here in 1898, forestry in America was first practiced and first taught. Outstanding alternate trip after reaching Buckhorn Gap — follow blue triangle markers to W to Avery Creek; then orange markers SW to White Pines Cpgr. on US 276. *Moderate* Roundtrip 8 mi.

Catawba Falls (2400 ft.). Popular family trip to impressive waterfalls on headwaters of Catawba River. At railroad station on US 70 in Old Fort, turn S onto Catawba St.; after 0.5 mi. cross under I-40; immediately turn R onto exit ramp and go 0.05 mi. Turn onto SR 1274 on L; go 3 mi. to bridge to end of road; park. Cross bridge; walk up farm road 0.25 mi. to ford. Cross river; walk upstream, passing abandoned powerhouse and dam. Easy ascent. When road runs out after 35 min. and becomes stream bed, walk on left bank 15 paces; then right bank for 55 paces. Next go sharply L (S) across stream, continuing S for 175 paces (Keeping straight (L) at each junction) to base of lower Catawba Falls, graceful, cascading type. Note turn just made at stream; easy to go wrong on return. Upper falls, plunging into large pool, are reached in 30 min. on steep slippery trail climbing beside lower falls. *Easy* Roundtrip 3.5 mi.

Cold Montain (6030 ft.). One of the best known major mountains in area. Remarkable views. From junction NC 110, NC 215, and US 276, 5 mi. S. of Canton, turn S onto NC 215. Go 5.2 mi, turn L (E) onto SR 1129 (Little East Fork Rd.). After 3 mi., turn L (E) onto Sorrell Creek Rd. at sharp curve; go 0.15 mi.; park; walk old road SE up creek; after 6 min., yellow blazes appear; follow these 25 mins., leaving them when they make sharp L (NW); continue 50 paces upstream and follow red blazes, leaving bolder trail headed NE, reach Deep Gap in 25 min. From gap, follow yellow-blazed Art Loeb Trail (NE) 30 min. to spring; continue 5 min. to open slope of summit of Cold Mtn. Two-hour walk each way. *Strenuous* Roundtrip 8 mi. Camping.

Ferrin Knob (4000 ft.). Easy 40 min. hike in Pisgah National Forest. Tower on summit. Many wildflowers in May — violets, buttercups, pink lady's slipper, trilium, pussy toes, park at Bent Creek Gap, BR Pkwy mi. 400.3; jeep trail up to tower starts on pkwy. Level at NW corner of overpass. Hike 23 min. to fork where small stream crosses; go sharply L to tower. Alternate auto route via NC 191 to Powhatan Cpgr., where gravel road leads

Climbing at Crowders Mountain

SW up to Bent Creek Gap. *Easy* Roundtrip 3 mi.

Art Loeb Trail (6030 ft.). A linking of outstanding trails in Pisgah National Forest to memorialize the late Arther J. Leob, officer of the Carolina Mountain Club and executive of Olin Industries, who was held in high esteem by associates in hiking, conservation, and industry. The trip offers an ideal venture for Boys Scouts or anyone seeking an extended hiking experience. Shelters and other refinements have been provided. Entire trail marked with direction signs, yellow blazes and silhouette of hiker. Section I (12.5 mi.): Starts on US 64 3.3 mi. N of Brevard P. O. along W bank of Davidson River, going W of Kagle Mtn. Trail via Cat Gap to Gloucester Gap. Section II (5 mi.): Goes N from Gloucester Gap (See Trail 71) via Pilot Mtn. through Farlow Gap to BR Pkwy (mi. 421.4). Section III (4.5 mi.): Climbs N from BR Pkwy (mi. 421.8) on Shuck Ridge, crosses Silvermine Bald, follows Pisgah Ledge and Shining Rock Ledge, ends at Ivestor Gap. Section IV (6 mi.): Starts at Ivestor Gap, enters Shining Rock Wilderness, crosses N on Flower Knob, Shining Rock and Stairs Mtn. ending on summit of famed Cold Mtn. (6030 ft.) via Deep Gap. *Strenuous* Roundtrip 56 mi. Camping.

Pilot Mountain (5151 ft.). Views from summit in all directions revealing majesty and wildness of this section of Pisgah National Forest. In mid-May, slopes of mountain are covered with overwhelming display of pinkshell azalea in full bloom. From US 276, turn W (R) onto Davidson River Road (Forest Service 475) 9.8 mi. S. of Wagon Road Gap, mi. 411.9 BR Pkwy (or 5.25 mi. N. of Junction NC 280 & US 64); go 6.2 mi. to Gloucester Gap, keeping L at junctions; park near 5-foot stone slab standing at junction with Cathey's Creek Road (Forest Service 471). Climb NW (R) on Art Loeb Trail following yellow blazes and silhouette of hiker. Frequent switchbacks make ascent moderate. Reach summit in 1.5 hrs. For different return route, continue N from summit, descending opposite side of mountain of jeep road (Forest Service 229), which can be followed R (S) back to Gloucester Gap. *Moderate* Route trip 6 mi. Camping.

Mt. Mitchell (6684 ft.). From Black Mtn. Campground. Mt. Mitchell is highest point in eastern America. Lookout tower with great panoramic views on summit. While an auto can drive nearly to top, the most rewarding approach is to hike from Black Mtn. Cpgr. on South Toe River. Cpgr. reached by turning off BR Pkwy 33 mi. N. of Asheville at Deep Gap, mi. 351.9 Gravel road leads N 4.9 mi. to cpgr., where marked trail to Mt. Mitchell starts in NE corner of camping area left of road. Near top, path goes through dark green forest of Fraser Fir. *Strenuous* Roundtrip 11 mi. Camping.

Grassy Ridge Bald (6189 ft.) (AT) Popular hike just E of Roan Mtn. Easy trip over bald grassy mountain top with superb views of North Toe River Valley. Black Mtns. Hundreds of acres here and on Roan have finest display of rhododendron in eastern America — peak of bloom about June 20. From highway through Carver's Gap at state line,

climb steps; follow white blazes of AT eastward up Round Bald; descend; pick up wire fence on R at 0.64 mi.; cross Jane Bald; descend; ascend on wide trail; pick up fence again on R at 1.37 mi. At. 1.5 mi., sight fence ahead on mountain and leave AT (which goes L); keep on trail straight ahead, wide at first, which parallels fence up to Grassy Ridge. Cross Grassy Ridge Bald and the rest of Grassy Ridge to gap, 0.2 mi. S. of south summit, which has scenic campsite with spring on little trail in alder down on E. side. Just S of gap is outcrop with views named above. *Moderate* Route trip 6. mi. Camping.

Linville Gorge (2600 ft.). One of eastern America's most scenic and rugged gorges. It is also reputed to be the wildest and most treacherous area in the Blue Ridge, but the risks on the graded trails decribed here are no greater than elsewhere in the wilds of the Southern Appalachians. The area has been set aside as a wilderness by the U.S. Forest Service. Babel Tower Trail begins at sign on E side of old NC 105, 2.8 mi. S. from NC 183. Trail descends into gorge and follows Linville River down to: (a) Sandy Flats Trail, primitive, which climbs W side of gorge precipitously back to old NC 105; and (b) Conley Cover Trail, which climbs W side of gorge on graded path back to old NC 105. None of these is a circle trip, but NC 105 can be followed back to starting point 1 mi. from end of (a) or 2.9 mi. from end of (b). The combination of Babel Tower Trail and (c) makes a hike of 8 mi. Before starting into gorge, it is desirable to drive to Wiseman's View recreation site on old NC 105 1.5 mi. S of start of Babel Tower Trail.

Here the gorge can be scanned from overlooks which orient the hiker. *Moderate* Route trip 8 mi. Camping.

Shortoff Mountain (3000 ft.) Highly recommended trip. Moderate walk at lower end of E rim of Linville Gorge (Trail 90) along series of cliffs offering unsurpassed views into gorge with Lake James as a backdrop in distance. Exit from I-40 at Nebo-Lake James Exit, E of Marion. Go N 2.8 mi.; turn W (L) onto 0.3 mi.; next turn N (R) onto NC 126, which leads around Lake James. After 10 mi. cross Linville River; go 1.2 mi. farther; turn onto first road on L, Wolf Pit Road (Forest Service Rd. 117). Take road 2.4 mi. to turnaround at dead end. Park. Walk 12 min. more, reach another junction — go either R or L. In 13 min. reach third junction; take woodland foot-path straight ahead (W) between two small gashed pie trees (gashes are old), avoiding main road which climbs steeply R and side road to L which goes steeply downhill (watch this point on return; it is each to go downhill on wrong road.) In 7 min. arrive first observation point on cliffs. Walk N as far as desired along edge of cliffs on tiny trail through rhododendron, laurel, and sand myrtle. *Moderate* Roundtrip 5-7 mi. Camping.

Table Rock (4000 ft.) and Hawksbill Mountain (4017 ft.). Two well-known peaks with strange formations that stand out on the horizon from all directions. Near Marion, take US 221 to Linville Falls. Turn NE onto NC 183; go 4.5 mi. to junction with NC 181 at Jonas Ridge. Turn R (S) onto NC 181; go 3 mi. and make R turn onto Gingercake Acres Road, SR 1264. After 0.4 mi., turn L at fork onto Forest Service Road 210 (SR 1265). Drive down ridge 3.4 mi. to Hawksbill parking spot on L. From here walk W on trail. After 15 min., go sharply L (SW) uphill on side trail (leaving main trail which goes downhill and then climbs to grotesque monolith on Sitting Bear Mtn. in 45 min.). Ascend 20 min. on the side trail to rocky summit of Hawksbill Mtn. with spectacular view into Linville Gorge. Return to car, and resume drive down ridge for 2 mi., passing Spence Ridge Trail at 1 mi. On reaching Forest Service Road 210-B with sign reading "Table Rock," go R. 0.9 mi. to junction; turn R for 1.4 mi. to dead end at Table Rock picnic area. Park and take trail up mountain to summit of Table Rock, and easy hike of 30 min. each way. The unique shape of this mountain stands alone in wild beauty. It towers high over the Piedmont, which spreads far below interlaced with the bays and coves of meandering Lake James. *Easy* Roundtrip 5 mi.

Yeates Knob (5920 ft.) from Balsam Gap. The trip to Yeates Knob (also known as Big Butt) offers beautiful forests, the best view of Mt. Mitchell, and huckleberries and blackberries in August. Trail begins on BR Pkwy on N side of cut 150 paces north of (below) the Balsam Gap parking area, mi. 359.9. The cut has a grassy slope and trail will be found at the highest point. It starts in a descent and goes along the ridge generally N. Summit of Point Misery is about half way. The next ascent is the steep climb up Little Butt. The trail goes along a narrow ridge, then around E side of Yeates Knob. It continues down to Cane River Gap on NC 197. A faint trail goes to summit of Yeates Knob, but views are somewhat limited by trees and bushes. Best views are from the trail N of Little Butt. Roundtrip is about 8 mi.; if Cane River Gap is destination, 14 mi. *Moderate* Camping.

BLUE RIDGE PARKWAY

(F-1 to B-2) The Blue Ridge Parkway, America's most popular scenic parkway, is a unique mountain-top drive designed solely for vacation travel. Built at an average elevation of over 3,000 feet, no commercial vehicles are allowed. The Parkway is 469 miles in length spanning the mountains between Shenandoah and the Great Smoky Mountains National Park. Approximately 250 miles of the Parkway are in North Carolina. Numerous mountain resorts and attractions such as "Horn in the West," a popular outdoor drama at Boone, Land of Oz, Tweetsie Railroad and Grandfathjer Mountain are located within easy access of the Parkway. More than 100 scenic overlooks are provided.

Near Spruce Pine is the Museum of North Carolina minerals which contains exhibits of most of the 300 kinds of minerals and gemstones found in North Carolina. The museum is open May 1 through October.

Spectacular views are at Devil's Courthouse (C-3), an unusual rock formation near Beech Gap; Waterrock Knob Overlook (C-3) near Cherokee and Heintooga Overlook near Maggie Valley. The Richland Balsam Overlook (C-3) at 5,053 feet is the highest point on the Parkway motor road.

CAMPING

Camping is permitted along the Parkway only at five designated areas. None of the Parkway campgrounds offer electrical hookups, water hookups, showers or pit toilets. Only the facility at Mount Pisgah has a dump station. All of the Parkway campgrounds do have flush toilets. Evening interpretive programs are presented at the Parkway campgrounds.

Doughton Park (E-1) located at milepost 241.1 at an elevation of 3,508 ft., the 6,430-acre park offers 26 trailer sites and 110 tent sites. Nearby is a store, coffee shop, gas station and a 24-room lodge. Twenty miles of trails wind through profuse laurel, azalea and rhododendron. (Open May 1-October).

Julian Price Memorial Park (D-1) Located at milepost 297.1 the 3,900-acre park has 68 trailer sites and 129 tent sites. It is open all year.

Linville Falls (D-2) Located at milepost 316.3, the 3,000-acre park has 20 trailer sites and 55 tent sites. There is a self-guided trail to spectacular views of the Linville Waterfalls and Linville Gorge, a "wild area" of the Pisgah National Forest. It is open all year.

Crabtree Meadows (D-1) Located at milepost 339.5 the 253-acre park has 22 trailer sites and 71 tent sites. Crabtree Falls is a 40-minute hike away from the campground. Open May 1 through October.

Mt. Pisgah (C-3) Located at milepost 408.6 the 690-acre park has 70 trailer sites and 70 tent sites. There is a nearby restaurant, campstore, gas station and lodge.

OTHER AREAS

In addition to the five campgrounds other scenic attractions are located along the Parkway. They are:

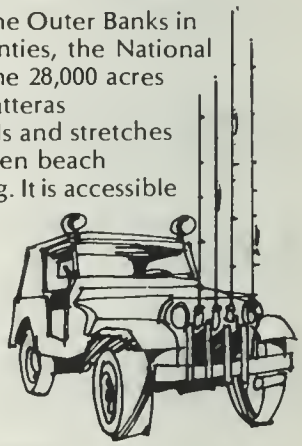
Cumberland Knob (E-1) Just south of the Virginia state line at an elevation of 2855 ft. Cumberland Knob includes 1,000 acres with a picnic area, comfort stations, drinking water and foot trails. Galax and laurel grow profusely. Overnight accommodations are nearby at Roaring Gap, Sparta and other towns on access roads.

E. B. Jeffress Park (E-1) Elevation 3,550 ft. There is a comfort station, drinking water and self-guided trail to a mountain stream which cascades several hundred feet.

Craggy Gardens (D-2) This 700-acre park is famous for natural gardens of pink (Catawba) rhododendron which bloom in mid-June. At an elevation of 5,892 ft. this facility includes a picnic area, comfort station, visitor center, self-guided trail, drinking water and hiking trail. Accommodations are available at Asheville and other nearby towns.

CAPE HATTERAS NATIONAL SEASHORE

(M-2 and M-3) On the Outer Banks in Dare and Hyde counties, the National Seashore covers some 28,000 acres of land on Bodie, Hatteras and Ocracoke Islands and stretches along 70 miles of open beach famed for surfcasting. It is accessible by paved roads connecting with Highways NC 158 and US 64-264 near Nags Head and Manteo and a free State ferry across Hatteras Inlet.



CAMPING

Camping is permitted year around at three campgrounds and five in the summer. Access to the camping areas is on a first-come, first-served basis. There is a limit of 14 days year around. Trailers are permitted at all campgrounds; however, no utility connections are provided.

Oregon Inlet. Located on the south shore of Bodie Island near the bridge to Hatteras Island, there are 120 sites. A comfort station, outdoor showers, water, grills and tables are available. Open all year.

Salvo. Located 32 miles south of Nags Head on NC 12 (Hatteras Island) there are 141 sites with grills, tables, drinking water, outdoor showers and a comfort station. Open May 1 through Labor Day.

Frisco. Located 5 miles northeast of Hatteras Village on NC 12 there are 136 sites with grills, drinking water, tables, outdoor showers and a comfort station. Open May 1 through Labor Day.

Cape Point. Located at Buxton near the Cape Hatteras Lighthouse, there are 203 sites with drinking water, grills, tables and a comfort station. Open all year.

Ocracoke. Located on the ocean side of Ocracoke Island there are 132 sites with drinking water, grills, tables and pit toilets. Open all year.

For detailed information and regulations write: Superintendent, Cape Hatteras National Seashore, Manteo, North Carolina 27954.

The Bodie Island Visitor Center near Bodie Island Lighthouse, the Museum of the Sea near Cape Hatteras Lighthouse and the Visitor Center at Silver Lake Marina in

Surf fishing on Outer Banks

Ocracoke Village are other attractions.

Hatteras Lighthouse, tallest in America, is open daily so visitors can climb to the top. Nature trails are nearby.

Pea Island National Wildlife Refuge is within the Park and is administered by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. It includes 5,-880 acres on Hatteras Island between Pamlico Sound and the Atlantic Ocean. There are paved parking turnouts near walkways into the Refuge which is a winter home of Greater Snow Geese and dozens of other species of birds. The Refuge is closed to all hunting. Beaches are open for public use, but permission to walk through fenced areas on the sound side of Hatteras should be obtained from Refuge Headquarters on the Hatteras Highway.

CAPE LOOKOUT NATIONAL SEASHORE

Congress has approved Cape Lookout National Seashore but development has not been completed. When the Seashore is opened, it will extend 58 miles from Ocracoke Inlet to Beaufort Inlet.

HAGAN-STON PARK

Hagan-Stone Park (G-2) Owned and operated by the City of Greensboro, Hagan Stone Park is 10 miles S. of Greensboro just off Highway 22. It has 57 camp sites with electricity and water and 16 sites that have water only. One central bath house serves the camp area. Free firewood and dumping station are available.

Picnicking, fishing, horseback riding, boat rides, a museum, nature trails and other recreational activities are offered. For more information, write Parks Department, City of Greensboro, N. C. 27402.

ASHEVILLE

The City of Asheville now operates two outdoor recreation areas. Bee Tree Lake (C-2) is primarily a trout fishing lake with facilities for camping (53 campsites), swimming and picnicking. Electricity and water connections are available.

Lake Julian, a bass fishing lake, has recently become a very popular lake for private sailboats. The park area also offers picnicking and accommodations for family type outings; however, camping is not permitted at Lake Julian.

For more information contact the city of Asheville Land Management Department, Asheville, N. C. 28807 or phone for reservations (704) 298-3106.

Canoeing & Climbing

Canoeing is a popular activity in all regions of North Carolina; however, the mountains of western North Carolina probably exceed the State's other two regions in popularity due to the numerous swift whitewater streams that provide thrills and exciting challenges to even the most experienced canoers.

Among the more popular mountain streams are: the French Broad River, Little Tennessee, Nantahala, North Toe and Toe River, Oconaluftee and Raven Fork River, South Fork of the New River and the Tuckaseigee.

A note of caution is advised for the inexperienced canoers because most of the mountain streams are swift and rugged.

In the Piedmont section of the state are also a number of streams which will accommodate canoers. Among the most popular of these are: The Catawba River, Dan River, Eno River, Fisher River, Haw River, Johns River, Kerr Recreation Area, Little River, Uwharrie River and the Yadkin River.

In eastern North Carolina, the following streams are frequented by canoers: Black River, Cape Fear, Fishing Creek, Lumber River, Merchant's Millpond, N.E. Cape Fear, Six Runs Creek, South River, Trent River, Waccamaw River and White Oak River.

More information on canoeing opportunities in North Carolina may be obtained by writing: Travel Development Section, Department of N&ER, Raleigh, N. C. 27611.

CLIMBING

The rugged, wild terrain of North Carolina's high country offers a unique challenge to the climber. Here, he may choose from among craggy cliffs of two remote National Wilderness areas or from the more accessible State Park areas.

There are attractions aplenty for both the experienced and amateurs.

In the Wilderness Areas at Shining Rock just south of Asheville and Linville Gorge near Grandfather Mountain are rugged cliffs which will excite the imagination of even the most climbers. Scattered throughout the Pisgah and Nantahala National Forest are other equally challenging but remote rocky pinnacles.

A few of the most favorite climbing areas are listed below:

Linville Gorge Wilderness Area — Including some 7,600 acres of rugged terrain, this area offers some of the best climbing opportunities in eastern America. Located west of Marion, the gorge offers several climbs with varying degrees of difficulty. A permit is required to enter the area and can be obtained from the National Forest Service office in Marion.

Table Rock — Located just outside of the Linville Gorge Wilderness Area, a 400-foot vertical wall has both bolted and unbolted routes on conventional face and crack climbing. Permits are not required.

Shortoff Mountain — Located south of Table Rock, outside the Wilderness Area, this 400-foot wall presents classic face and crack climbs on the Carolina and Gold Coast Walls with excellent exposure.

Looking Glass Rock — This rocky face mountain presents a wall that towers almost 500-feet and is located near U.S. 276 north of Brevard in the Pisgah National Forest. It offers friction and face climbing.

Stone Mountain State Park — Some 15-20 climbs are available here which offer excellent friction climbing. The defoliated dome is located five miles southwest of Roaring Gap off U.S. 21.

Hanging Rock State Park — Located 32 miles north of Winston-Salem, climbs are available on Moore's Knob and Cook's Wall.

Pilot Mountain State Park — Located 24 miles north of Winston-Salem off U.S. 52, face climbing is available on Little Pinnacle.

Although permits are not required in state park areas, it is a good idea to notify park officials that you will be climbing.

Don't attempt an ascent unless you are accompanied by experienced climbers and have been instructed properly. Although the walls are on public property, some of the adjacent areas are privately owned. You should obtain permission before crossing or using private property in any manner.

Also, preserve the environment. The use of chocks and other temporary artificial aids leave a wall in as good condition as you found it.

Private Campgrounds

Most of North Carolina's campgrounds are privately owned.

Dispersed throughout the state, from the mountains to the seashore, are more than 300 privately owned campgrounds which offer in excess of 15,000 campsites.

They vary with the terrain.

You may choose a campsite along the sandy shores of the Atlantic Ocean where the pounding surf will lull you to sleep.

Or perhaps you prefer a more tranquil setting among the gentle hills of the piedmont where such activities as golf, tennis, hiking or boating are nearby.

And for the mountain lovers, North Carolina is indeed a camper's paradise. Here, among the highest mountains in eastern America you may choose the degree of altitude and remoteness which you like best.

Privately owned campgrounds in North Carolina are listed alphabetically by town. The towns in which they are located are keyed to the official highway map. Information contained here was provided by the individual campground owners.

Campground Name & Address		Location
Hippo's Family Campground Rt. 4, Albemarle	(F-3)	2 mi. W. on St. Martin Church St.
Asheboro East KOA Rt. 6, Box 535, Asheboro (629-4069)	(G-2)	6 mi. E. of Asheboro on US 64, turn off US 64 between Texaco & Exxon, 1½ mi. on Cedar Falls Rd.
Holly Bluff Campground Asheboro	(G-2)	Asheboro or US 220. St. Hwy. 49, 8 mi. S. to sign
Zooland Family Campground Rt. 1, Box 409, Asheboro (381-3422)	(G-2)	5 mi. S. of Asheboro off Hwy 220 bypass-exit at Ulah-Troy exit, then W. 2 mi.
North Mills River Asheville	(C-3)	S.13.3 mi. on St. Hwy 191 W. 5 mi. on Forest Rd. 478
Round-dez-Vous Rt. 7, Box 688, Asheville (628-1313)	(C-3)	On US 74 exit Blue Ridge Pkwy & I-40 on 74 E—4 mi. to campground
Tanglewood KOA Box 1214, Asheville (686-3121)	(C-3)	Asheville US 70 E
Kinnakett Campground Box 14, Avon	(M-3)	On Hwy 12 on Hatteras Island
Moonshine Creek Campground Balsam	C-3)	7 mi. S. of Waynesville off US 23
Beech Mountain Campground Box 56A, Rt. 2, Banner Elk (387-4475)	(D-1)	From Banner Elk ½ mi. W. on Hwy 194, then 3 mi. N. on Land of OZ Resort Road
Foscoe Village Campground Rt. 1, Box 128, Banner Elk (963-4749)	(D-1)	On Hwy NC 105 10 mi. S.W. of Boone
Krek-Vue Campground Rt. 1, Box 107, Bath (923-5311)	(K-2)	Follow 264 E to 92E from Washington, turn right on Sec. Rd. 1756 on the outskirts of Bath
"17" Campground Belgrade	(K-3)	On US 17
Riverside Campground Rt. 1, Box 101D, Belhaven (943-2849)	(L-2)	10 mi. E. of Belhaven Hwy 264 then 2 mi. W. RR 1300
Buffalo Camp Blowing Rock	(D-1)	Take US 221 from town S., 5.5 mi.
Mine Branch Campground Blowing Rock	(D-1)	Turn N. on US 321 from Blue Ridge Pkwy., 3 mi. to entrance
Appalachian Campground Rt. 2, Box 124, Boone (264-4505)	(D-1)	3 mi. N. on Hwy 194 off US 421 and 221 from Boone
Boone KOA 327 E. King St., Boone (264-7250)	(D-1)	3 mi. from Boone off 194 N.
Flintlock Campground Boone (963-5325)	(D-1)	3 mi. S. of Boone on Hwy 105
Foscoe Village Family Campground Box 18, Boone	(D-1)	From Boone, 10 mi. S. W. on Hwy. 105, 7 mi. N. of Linville
Honey Bear Campground Boone	(D-1)	2 mi. S. on 105
KOA Campground Boone	(D-1)	N. 3 mi. on St. Hwy 194, W 1 mi. on Ray Brown Rd.
Little River Camping Resort Rt. 1, Brevard (877-4475)	(C-3)	12 mi. E. of Brevard off US 64
White Pines Brevard	(C-3)	Take US 276 N. 5 mi. Turn R. on Forrest Rd. 477 2 mi.
Bryson City Campground Box 449, Bryson City	(B-3)	From Bryson C., 1½ mi. N. on E. Deep Creek Rd.

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25	54	X	X		4-1 11-1	X	X		X	X			X	X	X					
31	84	X	X	35′	all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			
	40	X			4-10-30	X			X	X				X	X	X	X			
40	100	X	X		4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
		X			5-15 9-15										X	X	X			
43	80	X	X		4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
75	200	X	X		4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
2	60	X	X		all year	X	X		X	X			X							X
25	44	X	X		4-10 10-30	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X		X		
400	50	X	X		Year round	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				
150	125	X	X		5-15 10-15	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				
2	50	X	X		4-1 11-1	X	X		X	X			X		X	X	X			X
			X			X	X		X	X				X	X	X				
165	80	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
	148		X		5-1 10-1	X	X		X	X					X					X
15	65		X		5-1 10-1	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X				
18	125	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X		X				
150	108	X	X		5-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
20	125	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				
150	150	X	X		5-15 10-15	X	X		X	X		X	X	X						
	300		X		4-15 11-1		X					X	X	X	X	X	X			
	100		X				X					X		X	X	X	X			X
200	240	X	X		5-15 9-4	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X
	27		X		5-27 9-15	X									X	X				
12	52	X	X		4-1 10-1	X	X		X	X			X	X	X	X				X

Campground Name & Address		Location
Ela Campground Rt. 1, Bryson City (488-2410)	(B-3)	US Hwy 19—5 mi. E. of Bryson City
Hiawatha Trailer Park Ela Ave., Bryson City (488-3137)	(B-3)	Between Cherokee & Bryson City on Hwy 19, 4 mi. E. of Bryson City.
Hide-A-Way Campground Box 400 A, Bryson City	(B-3)	From Bryson City, 4 mi. E on US 19
Red Barn Campground Box 22 AB, Rt. 2, Bryson City	(B-3)	From Bryson City, 3 mi. W. on US 19, 2¼ mi. on Alarka Rd.
Woodys Campground Rt. 3, Box 328, Bryson City (488-6482)	(B-3)	3 mi. on Kirklands Creek off US 19, turn at ice plant
Clear Creek Trailer Lodge & Camp Park Rt. 5, Box 189, Burnsville (675-4510)	(D-2)	4 mi. N. Blue Ridge Pkwy on No. 80
Mountain Cove Rt. 5, Box 218A, Burnsville (675-5362)	(D-2)	From Burnsville, 19 E. 5 mi. to Micaville, NC 80 21 mi. to "Busick"
Mountain Wilderness Rt. 6, Box 203 A-1, Burnsville (682-3244)	(D-2)	Pesicola, N. C. Rt. G, Hwy 197
Bill & Barbs Box 194, Buxton (995-4311)	(M-3)	Cape Hatteras Nat'l Seashore
Big Cove Rt. 5, Box 118, Candler (667-9376)	(C-2)	12 W-Asheville, N. C. I-40 W. or US Hwy. 19-23 South
Laurel Bank Rt. 2, Box 364, Canton (648-9889)	(C-2)	Haywood Co. Hwy 276 14 mi. S. of Waynesville
Half Moon Park Box 766, Carolina Beach	(J-5)	½ mi. N. of Bus Center in Carolina B.
Kona Kai Box 801, Carolina Beach	(J-5)	Hwy 421, 3 mi. N. of Carolina Beach, 10 mi. S. of Wilmington
Driftwood Cedar Island	(L-3)	From US 70 at Atlantic 14 mi. N. of Cedar Island
Frog Creek Box 15514, Charlotte (588-2600)	(F-3)	At Carowinds I-77 S.
Cherokee KOA Cherokee	(C-2)	From 7 mi. N. on Big Cove Rd.
Cherokee Ramade Camp In Star Rt., Cherokee	(C-2)	From Cherokee, 4 mi. N. on Big Cove Rd.
Eljawa Campground Box 598, Cherokee (497-7204)	(C-2)	Old No. 4 Rd. 2½ mi. S. of Cherokee
Flaming Arrow Box 533, Cherokee (497-5451)	(C-2)	2 mi. S. of Cherokee on Hwy 441
Frontier Ranch Cherokee	(C-2)	E. of Jct. US 19/411
Holiday Inn-Trav-L-Park Box 551, Cherokee (497-9109)	(C-2)	Hwy 19 E in Soco Valley 3 mi. E. of Cherokee
Indian Creek Box 236, Cherokee (497-4361)	(C-2)	9 mi. N. on Big Cove Rd. then 1 mi. E. on Bunches Creek Rd.
Irene's Campground Box 146B, Cherokee	(C-2)	1½ mi. E. of Cherokee Hwy 19
Little Buck Box 473, Cherokee	(C-2)	On US 441, 1/3 mi. S. of Cherokee
Lost Cove Box 382, Cherokee	(C-2)	10 mi. E. of Cherokee on Hwy 19, 2 mi. W. of Blue Ridge Pkwy.

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40	90	X	X		4-1 10-31	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X		X	X
5	58	X			year round	X	X	X	X	X	X				X	X	X	X		X
16	25	X	X		6-1	X			X	X						X	X			
7	55	X	X		4-15 10-30	X			X	X				X						
8	25	X	X		year round	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
80	84	X	X	31′	5-1	X	X		X	X	X			X	X	X				
37	26	X	X	30′	5-1 10-31	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X			
115	240	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
3	18	X	X		1-1/5-31 9-1/12-31	X	X		X	X										
138	50	X	X		year round	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				
30	77	X	X	31′	5-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X			
10	50	X	X		3-1 12-1	X	X		X	X				X		X				
28	96	X	X			X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X		X			X
10	45	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X			X
55	210	X	X	45′	all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X	
445	212	X	X		3-1 11-15	X	X		X	X				X	X		X			
34	280	X	X		all year	X	X		X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X			
5	80	X	X		4-1 10-31	X	X	X	X	X	X				X	X	X			
20	112	X	X	27′	6-1 9-4	X	X		X	X	X		X	X			X		X	
18	50	X	X		5-1 10-15	X	X		X	X				X			X			
35	347	X	X		3-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
75	50	X	X		4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X				
10	81	X	X		5-1 10-15	X	X	X	X	X	X			X			X		X	
5	52	X	X		5-1 11-1	X	X		X	X					X		X			
14	50	X	X	18′	5-1	X	X		X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X		X	

Campground Name & Address		Location
Mingo Falls Box 302, Cherokee (497-5201)	(C-2)	Big Cove Rd., 5 mi. N. of Cherokee
Owl Travel Park Box 495, Cherokee (497-9212)	(C-2)	½ mi. E. of Cherokee on US 19
Pinecrest Cherokee (497-9494)	(C-2)	5 mi. S-441
Piney Grove Big Cove Rd., Cherokee (497-3671)	(C-2)	Big Cove Rd. on Cherokee Indian Reservation
Prewitt Box 557, Cherokee (497-3651)	(C-2)	3½ Mi. S. of Cherokee off Hwy 441 or Camp Creek Rd. (1406)
River Valley Cherokee	(C-2)	From US 441 & US 19 take Big Cover Rd., N. 4.5 mi.
Shoal Creek Box 545, Cherokee (497-2470)	(C-2)	US 441 at Old Soco Rd. (SR 1422) 1 mi. SE of Cherokee
Ramada Camp Inn Box 35, Cherokee (497-9711)	(C-2)	6 mi. from Cherokee on Big Cove Rd.
Soco Trail Campground Box 492, Cherokee	(C-2)	From Cherokee, 6 mi. E. on US 19
Wagon Trail Campground Rt. 1, Cherokee	(C-2)	From Cherokee ½ mi. E. on US 19
Hickory Nut Falls Campground Box 97, Chimney Rock (625-4014)	(D-3)	¼ mi. W. of Chimney Rock on US 74
Rocky River Family Campground Box 31, Chimney Rock (625-9350)	(D-3)	1 mi. W. of Chimney Rock on Hwy 74 & 64
Triple View Campground Box 23, Chimney Rock (625-9946)	(D-3)	Hwy 74 between Bat Cave & Chimney Rock on the Rocky Broad River
Abernathy Family Box 660A, Claremont	(E-2)	From I-40, 4 mi. N. on Hwy. 16, 4 mi. E. on .704
Tanglewood Park Campground Clemmons (766-4793)	(F-2)	12 mi. W. of Winston-Salem
Hampton Lodge Campground Coinjock (453-2732)	(L-1)	
Scuppernong River Campground Box 311, Columbia (796-5111)	(L-2)	1 mi. W. of Columbia just N. of US 64
New Lake Hickory Campground Box 148, Rt. 4, Conover (256-8615)	(E-2)	Rt. 4, off Rt. 16
Hawshaw Campground Drawer 100, Crossnore	(D-2)	From US 221 at Crossnore, 1½ mi. W.
Twin Rivers Campground Box 98, Crumpler (982-3503)	(E-1)	
Circle J. Family Campground Culberson	(A-3)	From Murphy 16 mi. W. on US 64
Bells Island Campground Currituck	(L-1)	
Sunset Park Danbury (593-8726)	(F-1)	Hwy 89 & 8, 25 mi. N. Winston-Salem, 1 mi. S. of Danbury
Cross Country Campground Rt. 1, Box 68A, Denver (483-5897)	(E-2)	Hwy 150 1½ mi. of Hwy 16, 8 mi. off I-77
Holidayland Rt. 2, Box 766, Denver (483-5746)	(E-2)	18 mi. N. of Charlotte on Hwy 16

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3	75	X	X	31′	4-10	X	X		X	X	X				X	X	X			
3	58	X	X		4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
32	50	X	X	30′	6-10 9-4	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X						
5	50	X	X	30′	4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X	X	X			
70	90	X	X		5-1 10-31	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
	160		X			X			X	X				X	X	X	X			
28	100	X	X		4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
35	320	X	X		4-1 1-15	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
34	100	X	X		all year	X	X		X	X				X	X		X			
2	75	X	X		4-1 11-15	X	X		X	X				X	X					
43	55	X	X		5-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
84	35	X	X		4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X				X	X				
5	64	X	X		3-1 12-30	X	X	X	X	X				X	X		X			
6	90	X	X		4-1 10-1	X	X		X	X					X		X			
	100	X	X		3-15 11-15	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
200	220	X	X		4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X
30	100	X	X		2-1 11-30	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X		X	X
20	250	X	X		year round	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
15	40	X	X		5-1 10-31	X	X		X	X				X						
6	20	X	X		5-1	X	X	X							X	X	X			X
15	50	X	X		5-1 10-31	X			X	X		X	X							X
22	110	X	X		all year	X	X		X	X			X		X	X	X			
151	75	X	X		4-15	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
150	400	X	X	35′	all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			
60	250	X	X	30′	all year	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

Campground Name & Address		Location
Wildlife Wood Campground Denver	(E-2)	From I-40 take St. Rt. 16 for 19 mi. L. on St. Rt. 150
Lake Toohow Campground Box 97, Dillsboro (586-6259)	(C-3)	1 mi. N. of Dillsboro, R. on Dick's Creek Rd. 100 yds.
Branches Campground Dobson (352-4871)	(F-1)	5 mi. N. of Dobson, Buelak Rd. 1345
Clearwater Campground Box 337, Elizabethtown	(H-4)	In White Lake
Langston Brothers Route 2, Elizabethtown (862-4281)	(H-4)	Waterfront of White Lake, 1 block from Pavilion
Mar-Kei Campground Elizabethtown	(H-4)	From Elizabethtown 7 mi. NE on US 701
Woodliefs Campground Elizabethtown	(H-4)	7 mi. N. on US 701 & St. Hwy. 41 take White Lake Rd. at circle
Ellerbe Springs Family Campground Box 250, Ellerbe (652-5600)	(G-3)	1 mi. N. of Ellerbe, US Hwy 220 Ins NC 73
Holiday Inn Trav-L Park Rt. 1, Emerald Isle (326-3010)	(K-4)	Cross B. Cameron Langston Bridge on Hwy 58, ½ mi. after you cross bridge
Enfield KOA Rt. 2, Box 84A, Enfield	(J-1)	½ mi. W. I-95 at Enfield exit #154
Contentnea Campground Box 78, Farmville	(K-2)	On Hwy. 264 & 13, 8 mi. W. of Greenville
Lazy Acres Box 107, Fayetteville	(H-3)	5 mi. S. of US 301, E. at Betsy Ross Motel, 1½ mi. Snow Hill Rd.
Tuskeegee Campground Box 7, Fontana Dam (479-8464)	(B-3)	7 mi. S. of Fontana Dam on St. Hwy 28
Polka Dot Resort Rt. 2, Box 59, Four Oaks (934-3181)	(H-3)	300 yds. off I-95 on US 701 Between Smithfield & Four Oaks
Betty's Creek Box 204D, Franklin	(B-3)	22 mi. S. of Franklin off US 441
Briarwood Acres Box 443, Franklin	(B-3)	1¼ mi. N. on US 441 2 mi. E. on Hwy 1504
Coweeta Creek Franklin	(B-3)	8 mi. on 441, W. 1 mi. on 1114
Cowee Valley Vistas Campground Rt. 4, Box 468, Franklin(524-2321)	(B-3)	9½ mi. on Hwy 28 out of town, located in the Cowee Valley
Fort Youkon Franklin	(B-3)	28 N. 7 mi. t. R. 1.75 mi. St. Rd. 1340, 100 yds. R on St. Rd. 1341
Gem City Box 701, Franklin (524-5011)	(B-3)	1½ mi. N. on US 441-23 near Ruby Mines
Kountry Kampground Franklin (524-4339)	(B-3)	2½ mi. S. of Franklin on US 441
Laurel Valley Box 973, Franklin	(B-3)	3 mi. N. on US 441/23 W. on Co. 1335 for ¾ mi.
Mason Mt. Campground Rt. 4, Box 742, Franklin (524-4570)	(B-3)	5½ mi. N. Hwy 28 N. of Franklin
Mi Mountain Rt. 7, Box 596 (524-6155)	(B-3)	2½ N. of Franklin off 441
Old Corundum Millsite Rt. 5, Box 595, Franklin (524-4663)	(B-3)	5½ mi. from Franklin on US 64 East

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	300		X				X		X	X			X	X	X	X	X			X
100	40	X	X		5-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X		X
2	14	X	X		4-1 9-30	X	X	X	X	X				X		X	X	X		
18	275	X	X		4-1 10-1	X	X		X	X					X		X			
1	10	X	X	23′	5-1 9-30	X	X	X	X	X			X	X	X	X	X	X		X
1	60	X	X		5-1 9-15	X	X		X	X					X		X			
	100		X		5-1 9-5	X	X		X	X					X	X				X
50	200	X	X		year round	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
25	216	X	X		year round	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X		X	X
24	100	X	X		year round	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
3	50	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X			X	X	X	X				
50	40	X	X		4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X				X	X	X	X			
20	31	X	X	30′	4-15 10-31	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X		
30	100	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
325	130	X	X		3-1 11-15	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X			
25	120	X	X		5-1 10-31	X	X		X	X				X			X			
	50		X		6-1 9-4		X		X	X					X		X			
10	25	X	X	22′	4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X		X								
	10		X			X	X		X	X						X				
14	100	X	X	28′	4-1 10-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
30	36				4-15 10-31	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X				
17	75	X	X		all year	X	X		X	X	X		X	X	X	X				
5	15	X	X	20′	5-1 10-1	X	X		X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X			
30	35				all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				
6	50	X	X		4-1 10-31	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			

Campground Name & Address		Location
Ole's Riverside Franklin	(B-3)	4.5 mi. N. on St. Rt. 28
Vagabond Village Campground Rt. 2, Box 500, Franklin (524-6223)	(B-3)	5 mi. S. of Franklin on Hwy 441
Yukon Ruby Mine Box 452, Franklin	(B-3)	6½ mi. N. of Franklin on Hwy 28, 2 mi. NE
Clements Overnight Rt. 1, Box 137, Gaston (537-5051)	(J-1)	1 mi. N. of Gaston on NC 48 or 1½ mi. S. of I-95 on NC 48
Hemlocks Court Gerton (625-4497)	(D-3)	US Hwy 74
Racoon Hollow, Inc. Glendale Springs (982-2706)	(E-1)	1 mi. N. of NW Trading Post between mile post 257-258
Sawyer Family Box 209, Graham	(G-2)	Take Hwy 87, S to Paynes Store, follow sign to Snow Camp.
Walnut Island Grandy	(M-1)	S. of Grandy 5 mi. on US 158
KOA Kampground Box 6761, Greensboro	(G-2)	Inters. I-85 & NC 26, exit 128A N. on I-85, exit 128 coming S. on I-85 follow camping signs to KOA sign
Woodside Overnight Box 280, Hampstead	(J-4)	22 mi. N. on US 17
Hatteras Sands Box 295, Hatteras (986-2422)	(M-3)	Hatteras Village
Surf-N-Sound Box 412, Hatteras (986-2505)	(M-3)	3 mi. N. of Hatteras on Hwy 12
Alpine Travel Trailer Park Rt. 5, Box 417, Hendersonville (692-6011)	(D-3)	¾ mi. E. of I-26 & US 64 E, on US 64 E, then ½ mi. South East
Apple Valley Travel Park Hendersonville	(D-3)	4 mi. E. on US 64
Hidden Valley Rt. 7, Box 231, Henderson (693-3617)	(D-3)	US 64 W. 9 mi. W. of Hendersonville, the 3 mi. So. on Etowah Sch. Rd.
North Mills River Henderson	(D-3)	From Town take St. Rt. 191 N 9 mi. turn L. on Forest Service Rd., 1206, 5 mi.
Hertford Campground Box 14, Hertford (426-7920)	(L-1)	3 mi., E. of Hwy 17 bypass on Harvey's Pt. Rd.
Lake Hickory Box 2348, Hickory	(E-2)	NE of Hickory off Springs Rd.
Cliffside Lake Highlands	(C-3)	NW 4.6 mi. on US 64 N. 1.3 mi. on Forest Rd.
VanHook Glade Highlands	(C-3)	NW 4.5 mi. on US 64
Daniel Boone Campground NC 86 I-85, Hillsborough (732-8101)	(H-2)	1 mi. from Hillsborough S.
Sand 'n Sea Family Campground Rt. 1, Holden Beach (842-6306)	(J-5)	W. end of Holden Beach off Hwy 17 by routes 130, 1130
Surf City Family Box 33Z, Holly Ridge	(K-4)	3½ mi. N. of Surf City oceanside
Brooklyn Trailer, 200 Southern Blvd. Hope Mills (425-2351)	(H-3)	7 mi. S. of Fayetteville on 301-95
Spring Valley Park, 108 Southern Blvd. Hope Mills (425-1505)	(H-3)	6 mi. S. of Fayetteville on 301 I-95

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	50		X		5-1 11-1	X	X		X	X					X	X				
5	24	X	X	31′	4-15 10-25	X	X		X	X	X	X								
8	20	X	X		3-1 11-1	X	X		X	X										
15	60	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X		X			X
85		X	X	25′	4-12-1	X	X	X	X	X			X		X	X	X			
82	72	X	X		4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X
165	82	X	X		4-1 11-30	X	X		X	X		X		X	X	X	X			
	25		X				X		X	X		X			X					X
76	76	X	X	32′	all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X		X	
6	60	X	X		all year	X	X		X	X		X	X		X		X			
6	115	X	X		3-1 12-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
30	250	X	X		4-1 12-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X		X	X
8	98	X	X	31′	year round	X	X	X	X	X	X	X								
7	100	X	X		4-1 10-1	X	X		X	X		X	X							
62	48	X	X		5-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
	38		X		5-27 9-15	X									X	X				
	35	X	X		5-28 10-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X
21	250		X		all year	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X				X
	11		X				X							X	X		X			
	19		X		5-27 9-5										X	X				
	56	X	X		all year	X	X		X	X	X	X	X							
11	167	X	X	32′	3-1 12-1	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X			
	110	X	X		4-1 11-30	X	X	X							X	X	X			
3	25	X	X		year round	X	X	X	X	X										
17	75	X	X		year round	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X		X

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Wher-Rena Marina Campground Huntersville	(F-3)	St. Hwy. 73 W. from Cornelius 3 mi.
Joe & Kay's Campground Box 403, Kill Devil Hills (441-5468)	(M-2)	1½ mi. W. of 158 by pass on Colington Rd.
Kings Mtn. KOA Box 481, Kings Mtn.	(E-3)	At Jct. I-85 & Hwy 161 in Kings Mtn.
Little Holland Family Campground Rt. 8, Box 207B, Lenoir (754-9250)	(E-2)	9 mi. N. of Lenoir on Rt. 321
Forest Lake Family Campground Rt. 2, Box 391, Lexington (998-5115)	(F-2)	On US 64, halfway between Lexington & Mocksville
High Rock Lake Campsites Lexington	(F-2)	10 mi. S. of Lexington on Hwy 8, 1 mi. E. on Wofford Rd.
Lazy River Family Rt. 4, Lexington	(F-2)	6 mi. W. on US 64, 3 mi. N. on 1194
Linville Falls Box 203, Linville (765-2681)	(D-2)	Blue Ridge Pkwy. Milepost 317.4 at US 221, 500 ft. S. to St. Rd. 1100
Linville Land Harbor Box 177, Linville (733-2302)	(D-2)	NW Mtn. area, 2.5 mi. S. of Linville on US 221
Yorkhill Campground Rt. 1, Linwood	(F-2)	I-85 S. exit 29
American Heritage Rt. 3, Box 184, Littleton (586-4121)	(J-1)	I-95 exit US 158W 17 mi., I-85 exit US 158 E. 25 mi.
Safari Campground Rt. 4, Box 60, Lumberton (739-4372)	(H-4)	Service Rd. Adjacent to Holiday Inn S., use exit 14 at Int. I-95 & US 74
Funny Farm Box 128, Madison	(G-1)	5 mi. S. Madison on US 220
Ghost Mountain Rt. 1, Box 545, Maggie Valley (926-1188)	(C-2)	Hwy 19, 2½ mi. W. Ghost Town, 1 mi. E. Pkwy.
Little Ranch Campground Box 14, Maggie Valley (926-1986)	(C-2)	1 mi. W. of Maggie on Hwy 19
Meadowbrook Box 596, Maggie Valley	(C-2)	½ mi. off US 19 1 mi. W. of Ghosttown
Presley's Campground Rt. 1, Box 198A, Maggie Valley (926-1904)	(C-2)	US 19
Roanoke Indian Country Box 906, Manteo	(M-2)	US 64-264 at N. End of Roanoke Island
Sandpipers Trace, Ltd. Box 422, Manteo (473-3471)	(M-2)	3 mi. W. on US 64, 264 next to Ft. Raleigh
Shallowbag Campground Box 868, Manteo	(M-2)	½ mi. S. on US 64 & 264
"17" Family Campground Box 448, Maysville (743-3051)	(K-3)	At Belgrade, 14 mi. N. of Jacksonville on US 17
Silver Creek Christian Retreat Box 37, Mill Spring (894-8302)	(D-3)	3 mi. from Hwy 9 & 108, 8 mi. from I-26 on Silver Creek Rd.
Bear Creek Family Mocksville (492-5154)	(F-2)	4 mi. W. of Mocksville on US 64, 1 mi. W. of I-40 on left
Crazy Horse Campground Box 90, Mocksville	(F-2)	25 mi. W. on I-40
Lake Myers Rt. 1, Box 90, Mocksville (492-7736)	(F-2)	US 64 W. 6 mi. of Mocksville

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	40		X			X	X		X	X					X		X			X
13	60	X	X		3-15 12-15	X	X	X	X	X		X			X		X			X
28	116	X	X		all year	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X	
	108	X	X		5-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X	X		X	
2700	150	X	X	35′	4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
11	70	X			3-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X		X			X
160	100	X	X		4-1 11-1	X	X		X	X				X	X		X			
10	32	X	X	28′	5-15 10-15	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X	X		X		
750	142	X	X	35′	all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
20	30	X	X		all year	X	X		X	X					X					
80	200	X	X	35′	all year	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X
21	130	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X		X	
115	60	X	X		4-1 10-1	X	X	X	X	X		X		X	X	X	X			
10	50	X	X	20′	6-1 9-6	X	X		X	X			X	X		X		X	X	X
3	23		X		5-1 10-31	X	X	X	X	X					X					
22	29	X			all year		X		X	X		X		X		X				
15	306	X	X		4-15 10-25	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X		X	
43	56	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X					X		X			X
70	500	X	X	31′	all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X
10	66	X	X		3-1 12-1	X	X		X	X				X	X		X			
5	40	X	X		all year	X	X		X	X	X			X	X	X				
47	26	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X		X
12	35	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X		X	X	X	
114	200	X	X		3-15 11-1	X	X		X	X				X	X	X	X			
178	230	X	X		3-15 10-31	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X		X

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Olde Farm Family Campground Rt. 6, Box 383, Monroe (283-2202)	(F-3)	4 mi. W. of Monroe off Hwy 75 on New Town Rd.
Pier Marina Rt. 4, Box 217, Mooresville (663-4225)	(F-2)	Hwy 150 W. (4 mi. off I-77) Lake Norman
Arrowhead Campground Rt. 1, Box 792, Morehead City (726-7974)	(L-4)	9.5 mi. W. of Atlantic Beach on Salter Path Rd.
Camp Ocean Campground Rt. 1, Morehead City	(L-4)	Morehead City
Emerald Isle Campground Morehead City	(L-4)	From US 70, turn R across bridge to Atlantic Beach
Salter Path Family Box 721, Morehead City (726-2710)	(L-4)	½ mi. W. of Salter Path
Morganton KOA Rt. 2, Box 854, Morganton (584-1733)	(E-2)	I-40 E. Bound take Jamestown Rd. exit, W. Bound take Glen Alpine Exit
Rose Creek Campground Rt. 7, Box 420, Morganton (437-0803)	(E-2)	12 mi. N. of Morganton Hwy 181
Hide-A-Way Box 638, Mt. Gilead	(G-3)	Off Hwy 73 on Lilly Bridge Rd.
Holly Harbor Mt. Gilead(439-6127)	(G-3)	E. of Albemarle, NC 27 then 1 mi. S. on Hwy 73, 1½ mi. on #1110
Circle J Family Campground Rt. 6, Murphy (494-7042)	(B-3)	Hwy 64, 16 mi. W. Murphy, 4 mi. E. Tenn. line
Pied Piper Camp Resort Box 152, Murphy (644-5771)	(B-3)	12 mi. W. of Murphy on US 64, 8 mi. W. of US Hwy 19 & 129 on US 64
Nags Head Campground Rt. 1, Box 450, Nags Head (411-5251)	(M-2)	1 mi. S. of Nags Head water tank on bypass
Neuse River Campground Rt. 6, Box 190, New Bern (638-2556)	(K-3)	3 mi. N. US 17
Green Acres Campground Box 135, Newland	(D-2)	½ mi. off 181, St. Rd. 1267
Secluded Valley Campground Rt. 3, Box 201, Newland (765-4810)	(D-2)	8 mi. E. Spruce Pine on 19E
Whip-O-Will Hollow Campground Box 284, New London (461-9461)	(F-3)	13 mi. S. of Denton at Hwy 109 on Baiden Lake
Pender Park Campground RR 1, Box 73, Newport (726-4902)	(K-4)	12 mi. W. of Morehead city on Hwy 24
Norwood Camping Resort Rt. 3, Box 335, Norwood (474-3800)	(F-3)	Lake Tillery
Catawba Falls Family Rt. 1, Box 59A, Old Fort (668-4831)	(D-2)	3 mi. from I-40 at Old Fort exit 2nd campground on left on Catawba R. Rd.
Pinehurst Campsite Box 791, Pinehurst	(G-3)	1½ mi. N. of Pinehurst on US 15-501
Pineola Family Box 117, Pineola	(D-2)	From Blue Ridge Pkwy., mi. post 312, 1.5 mi. N. on Hwy 181 to US 221
Jomeokee Campground Rt. 1, Pinnacle	(F-1)	US 52, Pinnacle ext W. ¼ mi.
Lester Flatts Bluegrass Park Box 285, Pinnacle	(F-3)	¼ off US 52
Little River Camping Rt. 1, Pisgah Forest	(C-3)	12 mi. E. of Brevard off US 64

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30	52	X	X		year round	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X				
30	215	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X
12	152	X	X	35′	3-15 12-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X
	150		X			X	X	X	X	X					X		X			
	108		X		4-1 11-1		X								X		X			
14	200	X	X	32′	3-20 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X			X
40	100	X	X		3-15 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X		X	
46	75	X	X		4-1 11	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
157	63	X	X		4-1 12-1	X	X		X	X		X	X	X						
163	75	X			3-15 11-15	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X
90	50	X	X		5-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
45	40	X	X		5-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X
2	27	X	X	31′	4-	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X							
15	30	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X					X
41	11	X	X		4-1 10-15	X	X		X	X		X	X		X	X	X			
12	47	X	X		5-1 10-31	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X		
6	60	X	X	32′	year round	X	X		X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X
30	80	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
60	114	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
10	25	X	X	35′	5-12 9-19	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X			
28	28	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X			X	X	X	X	X			X
40	90	X	X		5-1 10-31	X	X		X	X					X		X			X
40	92	X	X		4-1 11-30	X	X		X	X			X	X	X					
99	100	X	X		4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X		X		X	X	X				
200	140	X	X		5-1 9-4	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X				

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College Park 4208 New Bern, Raleigh (833-7015)	(H-2)	Hwy 64 E. 1 mi. off 64 bypass
College Park 301 A. North, Rocky Mount (446-9233)	(J-2)	301 Bypass N.
Cape Hatteras KOA Box 150, Rodanthe (987-2250)	(M-2)	Hwy 12, 1 mi. South Rodanthe
Holiday Inn Trav-L-Park Box 43, Rodanthe (987-2307)	(M-2)	NC Hwy 12, Hatteras Island
Leisure Living Campsites Rt. 1, Box 645, Roseboro (525-5112)	(H-3)	On Hwy. 24, 2 mi. E. of Roseboro, 10 mi. W. of Clinton on Hwy. 421-701
Indian Camp Mtn. Campground Box 308, Rosman	(C-3)	3.5 mi. S. on US 178, 1 mi. NE on gravel Rd.
Person Caswell Authority Box 343, Roxboro (599-4343)	(H-1)	10 mi. W. of Roxboro on NC 57
Dan Nicholas Park Box 832, Salisbury	(F-2)	10 mi. off I-85 on Bringle Ferry Rd.
Tomahawk Crazy Horse Campground Rt. 5, Box 581, Salisbury	(F-2)	9½ mi. SE of Salisbury on Stokes Ferry Rd. to St. Matthews Ch. Rd. then L. follow signs
Squatters Campsite Salter Path	(K-4)	Salter Path
Bull's Eye Campground Box 535, Saluda (749-3901)	(D-3)	5 mi. S. of Saluda SR 1840. Turn Main St. in Saluda
Gil Winders Family Campground Rt. 4, Box 1130, Sanford (776-2229)	(H-3)	3 mi N. of Sanford on Service Rd. on W. side of Hwy 1-15-501 & 87
Lakeview KOA Box 313A, Selma	(J-2)	On I-95 at Main Selma exit
Stanley's Campground Rd. #2, Box 195 (754-4842)	(J-5)	Near Ocean Isle Beach 6 mi. E. of Shallotte-State Rd. 1155 — follow signs
Drum Family Campground Rt. 1, Box 102, Sherrills Ford (478-2458)	(E-2)	14 mi. W. of Mooresville, 2 mi. off Hwy 150 on #1849
Little's Family Rt. 1, Box 139H, Sherrills Ford (483-2848)	(E-2)	12 mi. W. Mooresville Hwy 150, St. Rd. 1815, 1 mi. follow sign
Wildlife Woods Campground Rt. 1, Box 157-B1, Sherrills Ford (486-5611)	(E-2)	Hwy 150, 2 mi. E. of Hwy 16 on Lake Norman
High Rock Lake Marina & CG Drawer F, Southmont (798-1196)	(F-2)	10 mi. S. of Lexington on NC 8, 1 mi. E. on Woffard Rd.
Little River Campground Box 411, Sparta	(E-1)	From Sparta, ½ mi. S. on US 21
Bear Den Campground Box 284, Spruce Pine (765-2888)	(D-2)	On Pkwy between Linville & Little Switzerland mile post 324.8 on Bear Den Mtn. Rd.
Mtn. Top Safari Campground Box 840, Spruce Pine (765-7187)	(D-2)	Spruce Pine
Spruce Pine Tent & Trailer Box 354, Spruce Pine (765-7007)	(D-2)	4 mi. S. of Spruce P. on NC 226, turn R at Woodys Shop on Dale Rd.
Midway Family Rt. 4, Statesville (546-7615)	(F-2)	12 E. of Statesville to Middle 64 & I-40, #mi. off I-40
Breezeway Campground Box 379, Supply	(J-5)	½ mi. N. of Holden B. on NC 130
Blackbeard's Treasure Box 294, Surf City (328-5361)	(K-4)	Surf City
Surf City Family Surf City (328-4281)	(K-4)	3½ mi. N. Surf City Ocean side Hwy 210

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10	32	X	X		year round	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X							
6	20	X		32′	all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X						
9	196	X	X	31′	3-1 12-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X		X	
24	250	X	X	35′	3-15 12-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
60	75	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
	9		X		5-1 11-1	X	X								X		X			
65	57	X	X		4-1 10-15	X	X	X	X	X				X	X		X	X		X
330	55	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X				X
23	189	X	X		year round	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
	120	X	X		3-1 12-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X			X
350	70	X	X		5-1 8-1	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X
14	28	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X		X	X
49	100		X		all year	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X			
12	50	X	X		5-1 9-5	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X			X
30	100	X	X	30′	4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X
5	54	X	X	35′	1-1 12-31	X	X	X	X	X	X		X		X		X	X		X
60	300	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
11	70	X	X	30′	3-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X
60	50	X	X		6-1 11-30	X	X		X	X					X		X			
453	138	X	X		3-1 11-30	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
68	87	X	X		4-1 10-31	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
15	50	X	X		5-1 10-31	X	X	X	X	X	X			X		X				
64	50	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X		X
	25	X			all year	X	X	X	X	X					X	X				X
3	48	X			all year	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X		X			X
	114	X	X	30′	4-1 11-1	X	X	X	X	X	X		X		X		X			

Campground Name & Address		Location
"Tommies" Rt. 1, Box 286, Swansboro (326-8715)	(K-4)	2 mi. E. of Swansboro on Hwy 24
Fort Tatham Campsite Rt. 2, Box 206, Sylva (586-6662)	(C-3)	6 mi. S. of Sylva on US 441, 12 mi. N. of Franklin
Overnight Campground Lexington Rd., Thomasville (476-6640)	(F-2)	North Side of I-85 29 & 70 — 3 mi. from Thomasville
Brookside Campground Box 93, Topton (321-5209)	(B-3)	On US 19 at west end of Nantahala Gorge ½ mi. E. of US 129
Lakes End Camp & Cottages Box 90, Topton (321-4484)	(B-3)	On Lake Nantahala St. Rd. 1310-Wayah Bald Rd.
River Park Box 40, Tuckasegee	(C-3)	NC 107 S. of Sylva — 15 mi. between Sylva & Cashiers
Singing Waters Resort Trout Creek Rd., Tuckasegee (293-5872)	(C-3)	NC 107 & Trout Creek Rd
Old Water Mill Campground Rt. 1, Union Grove (592-2902)	(F-2)	20 mi. NW on Hwy 115
Kumberland KOA Box 67, Wade (892-5605)	(H-3)	SR 1815 ¼ mi. E. of I-95 at exit 61
Sunset Campground Walnut Cove	(F-1)	E. on Danbury 1 mi. on St. Hwy 8 and St. Hwy 89
Whichards Campground Box 746, Washington	(K-2)	3½ mi. E. off Hwy 175
Smokies East KOA Box 355, Rt. 2, Waynesville (926-0250)	(C-2)	I-40 & 276 at 20 mi. marker
Boone Frontier West Jefferson	(E-1)	Take Blue Ridge. Pkwy. S. to mile post 267, R 5.5 mi. on St. Rt. 1167
Greenfield Campground Rt. 2, West Jefferson (246-9671)	(E-1)	1 mi. E. of West Jefferson Co. Rd. 1149
Camp Clearwater Box 337, White Lake (862-3365)	(H-4)	On St. Rd. 1515 ½ mi. N. of NC 53
Harold's Camp White Lake (862-3692)	(H-4)	Just off 701 on Lake Hwy.
Holly Cove Box 184, Whittier	(B-3)	9 mi. SE Cherokee on US 441
Pinecrest Campground Box 227, Whittier	(B-3)	5 mi. SE Cherokee on US 441
Tipton's Shoal Creek Rt. 1, Whittier (497-9331)	(B-3)	On Rt. 441, 4 mi. S. of Cherokee
Green Acres Camping Resort Rt. 2, Box 395, Williamston (792-3939)	(K-2)	5 mi. S. of Williamston on US 17 & 1 mi. W. on Green Acres Rd.
Plantation Campground 339 AB, Wilmington	(J-5)	
Rainbow Campground Box 261B, Wilmington	(J-5)	1½ mi. N. of Carolina Beach
Waterway Campground Box 264, Wilmington	(J-5)	14 mi. S. of Wilmington. Turn R. at New Bridge, R. at rest area
Kamper's Lodge of America Box 192, Wilson (237-0905)	(J-2)	Hwy 301 N.
Tanglewood Campground Winston-Salem	(F-2)	10 mi. W. of WS, ½ mi. off I-40
Tuscarora Shores Box 151, Winton (358-4041)	(K-1)	2 mi. E. of Hwy Jct. 13 & 158 to 45

Acres	Total Sites	Trailers	Tents	Trailer Length Limit	Season	Flush Toilets	Showers	Dump Station	Electric Hookups	Water Hookups	Sewer Hookups	Laundry	Store	Playground	Fishing	Hiking	Swimming	Lake	Pool	Boating
5	45	X	X	35′	all year	X	X		X	X	X				X	X	X			X
8	70	X	X	35′	all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			
5	13	X	X		all year			X	X	X	X									
14	30	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X	
5	35	X	X	30′	5-15 10-31	X	X	X	X	X	X		X		X	X	X	X		X
40	40	X	X		5-1 11-1	X	X		X	X										
6	66	X	X		5-1 9-6	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X
60		X	X		4-1 10-31	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X			
29	75	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
	50		X		6-1 10-1	X			X	X					X		X			
1	20	X	X		all year	X	X		X	X			X		X	X	X			X
12	125	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
	9		X		6-1 9-30	X	X									X				
140	70	X	X	35′	4-15 11-15	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
150	350	X	X		4-1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X
5	50	X	X		4-1 9-6	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X			X		X
86	50	X	X	26′	6-1 8-30	X	X	X	X	X			X	X	X	X	X		X	
32	70	X	X		6-8 8-20	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X						
11	120	X	X	32′	all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
58	150	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
56	110		X		all year	X	X	X	X	X		X		X	X	X	X			X
12	105	X			all year	X	X	X	X	X			X	X	X		X			X
5	50	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X	X	X			X
25	118	X	X	35′	all year	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X	
18	82	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X			X
12	65	X	X		all year	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X			X

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